

GERMANS LEADERS OF AUSTRIA SAYS PREMIER SEYDLER

AMSTERDAM, July 18.—Premier von Seydler delivered his address in the lower house of the Austrian reichsrath yesterday, says a Vienna telegram.

Speaking on the situation in Austria-Hungary, Dr. von Seydler said: "The internal propaganda method of our enemies are so absurd that they only testify to their profound ignorance of our conditions, the loyalty of our citizens to the state and the firm internal cohesion of our state."

"In unity with our loyal allies we shall be able to enforce the end of the world-war."

Dr. von Seydler recalled the refusal of the Czech clubs to collaborate in revising the constitution, and said that if the government was not to expose itself to the reproach of political passivity, it had to put into effect its program of national autonomy. Hence the decrees for the partition of Bohemia into districts.

It was far from his intention to deny this was a German course, Dr. von Seydler continued, because, if there was a political force in Austria, it could only be such as guaranteed the protection of the just interests of the German race. The backbone of this multi-form state was the German race and it always would be so. The government would not be deflected from the course it had entered upon.

For those parties which stand aloof, Dr. von Seydler added, the door of understanding always was open. Over this door, however, was written, "Welcome to all who are loyal to the dynasty and the state."

Declaring that the government had no animosity toward other races, Dr. von Seydler said that all the Germans and Austrians demanded was to be allowed to live and develop in peace. The government, he said, would also endeavor to do full justice to the national requirements of the races living in Galicia.

WAR CAUSES LOSS 12,500,000 LIVES

LONDON, July 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—The war has caused the belligerent countries of Europe the loss of not less than 12,500,000 potential lives because of the decrease in the number of births resulting from the war, says Sir Bernard Mallet, registrar general of Great Britain. This country, he asserts, has lost in these potential lives, 650,000 children. He believes that other belligerent countries have suffered in this respect more than has Great Britain.

Sir Bernard estimates that every day of the war means a loss of 7,000 potential lives of children to the United Kingdom, France, Italy and the Central Powers. Dealing with the decline in the birth rate here he said the births registered in England and Wales in 1913 numbered 881,800. In 1915 they fell to 814,614, in 1916 there was a further fall to 780,520, and in 1917 to 668,346; a decline of 24 per cent compared with 1913.

MEDFORD PEARS SELL AT \$1.70 PER BOX

The first sales of Bartlett pears, 1918 crop, were made by S. V. Beckwith, manager of the Rogue River Fruit and Produce association, yesterday. Five cars were sold for \$1.70 per box, f. o. b. Medford, spot cash when the cars roll. This is an excellent price for Bartletts and there is prospect that the association will be able to dispose of a large part of its Bartletts at this figure.

Soldier's Cough Is Cured

Private Harold Hamel, 66th Regiment, Ft. Adams, R. I., writes: "I was troubled with a bad cough for three months. I tried a sample of Foley's Honey and Tar and felt greatly relieved. I have since used two 50c bottles and I recommend Foley's Honey and Tar and will always keep it on hand." Foley's Honey and Tar covers inflamed, irritated surfaces with a soothing, healing coating and relieves coughs, colds, croup and bronchial affections. Sold everywhere.

LITTLE VICTIMS OF WAR'S CRUELTY



These little Italian children are orphans. Their fathers are in the army, and their mothers have been killed by Austrian shells bombarding villages behind the lines. The photograph shows them being taken from their ruined homes by Italian Sisters of Mercy.

America's Roll of Honor

Today's Casualty List Sent By Pershing From Battle Front in France.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The army casualty list today shows: killed in action, 14; died of wounds, 10; died of disease, six; died of accident and other causes, two; wounded slightly, one; missing, four. Total, 57. The list includes Private Leslie G. Morrow, Ponska, Alberta, Canada, died of disease.

Killed in action—Sergeants Carl C. Carter, Fresno, Cal.; Ednell M. Lushar, Kansas City; William F. McPadden, Great Bend, Kas.; William L. Travis, Hot Springs, Ark.; Privates Leon Brismall, Geneva, New York; Rocco Di Sciascio, Philadelphia; George Fisher, care Rogers, New York City; Joseph Gallegos, Talpa, N. M.; William C. Jackson, Rushville, Ind.; Vodo Kubinski, Toponah, Nev.; Samuel E. Lee, Pittsburg; John C. Lovell, Norriome, Mo.; Henry R. Taylor, Manlius, N. Y.; Oseal L. Ulgren, Jamestown, N. Y.

Died from wounds—Corporal James E. Fitzwilliam, Charleston, S. C.; Privates Frederick B. Bunt, Tannersville, N. Y.; Earl M. Canton, Billings, Mo.; Jesse B. Emmons, Andalusia, Ala.; Paul J. Florino, Fort Atkinson, Wis.; Charles E. Lamer, Decatur, Ala.; Joseph Macriogona, Pigo, Italy; Frank K. Snyder, Fairfield, Conn.; William Upton, Philadelphia; Okey Vaughan, Newford, W. Va.

Died of disease—Cook Milford, Sumner, Mo.; Privates Charles E. Lucas, Trenton, N. J.; Leslie G. Morrow, Ponska, Alberta, Canada; William O. Watts, Elsberry, Mo.; Frank M. Wenzel, Little Falls, Minn.; Philip Whitford, Salters Depot, S. C.

Died from accident and other causes—Corporal Ralph C. Taylor, Mount Pleasant, Mich.; Private Herbert D. Whalen, Detroit.

Wounded Severely

Sergeant Russell R. Brightbill,

Harrisburg, Pa.; Corporals Stacey E. Baker, Watertown, N. Y.; Richard P. Partridge, Rochester, N. Y.; Privates William A. Bron, Lublin, Russia; Robert Big Thunder, Wootenburg, Wis.; James B. Chapman, Taylorsville, N. C.; Zelah Davis, Newark; David H. Dinkie, Spring Run, Pa.; Sam H. Gardner, Phoenix City, W. Va.; John Lohmink, Baltimore, Md.; Clarence Lyon, Bluffton, Ind.; Edwin Miller, Portage, Pa.; Vera Morton, Medicine Lodge, Kas.; Guy Norton, Delhi, N. Y.; Henry H. Shook, Cherokee, Ia.; Claude D. Schultz, Hubbard, Ind.; Henry Vendell, Newcastle, Pa.; William Zielinski, Getzville, Russian.

Wounded slightly—Private Lawrence A. Chambers, Bridgeport, Conn.

Missing in action—Privates Albert R. Cook, Princeton, N. J.; Wojciech Czyszowski, Detroit; Herman J. Klotz, Syracuse, N. Y.; Henry F. Thorpe, Waterbury, Conn.

Previously reported missing, now reported in hospital—Private Alexander Crossie, Kalgoolie, West Australia.

Marine Casualties

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The marine corps casualty list today shows:

Killed in action, three; died of wounds, one; wounded severely, three. Total, seven.

Killed in action—Sergeant Thomas Starnis, New Orleans; Privates Frederick S. Bennett, North Bloomfield, N. Y.; Charles C. Hale, McConnellsville, Ohio; Frederick L. Richard, Milltown.

Died of wounds received in action—Private Alfred C. Wallburn, Wellston, Ohio.

Wounded in action severely—Corporal Henry L. Schmeppeler, Newark, Ill.; Privates Joseph Cole, Lynn, Mass.; Harvey Sorely, Schellburg, Pa.

Butter and Eggs

PORTLAND, Ore., July 18.—Butter steady; city creamery prints, 22c; cartons, extra. Buying price butter fat, Portland, 53c; cube extra, 45c; firsts, 41c; seconds, 40c; dairies, 35c.

EGGS—Selling price, case count, 39c. Buying price, 38c; candled, 43c; selected candled in cartons, 46c.

POULTRY—Hens, 34c; 25c; broilers, 29c; 31c; old roasters, 16c; turkeys, 28c; 30c; geese, 22c; ducks, young, 30c; 35c; old, 35c.

Portland Grain

WHEAT—New crop, \$2.20; barley, feed, 85c; brewing, 52c; cents, 80c; bid; corn, No. 2, yellow, 87c bid.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, 81c; shorts, 83c; middlings, 89.00; 83.50.

HAY—Buying price, timothy, 80c; alfalfa, 82c; grain, 82c.

Says Josh Wise: "Somehow or other people always make th' potient man do th' most waitin'."

GOVERNMENT TO RECRUIT STUDENTS FOR UNIVERSITIES

NEW YORK, July 18.—The government proposes to carry on a student recruiting campaign for the colleges and university of the country, according to a statement made today by Chancellor Elmer R. Brown of New York university, who has been called to Washington to attend a conference of educators with federal officials.

Chancellor Brown declared his own views were based upon a recent statement by President Wilson, whom he quoted as having said:

"My attention lately has been called in particular to the falling off in the number of engineering students and this has given me a good deal of concern. It is not only immediately necessary that as many students as possible should prepare themselves for engineering duties in the army and navy, but it also of first consequence to the country that there should be an adequate supply of engineers for the period of reconstruction which must follow the war."

"The role of the engineer has become more and more important in every process of our industrial life, and I hope that influences may go out which will call the attention of parents throughout the country to the importance of making any sacrifice that it is possible to make to keep their sons in the schools even during these trying times."

WANTED—A man to take care of 400 sheep. R. P. D. Box 167, Ashland, Ore. 101

WANTED—Man to drive truck and assist in retail yard. Big Pines Lumber Co. 99

WANTED—A few more men to work at Crater Lake, Court Hill. 102

WANTED—Mechanics in all branches of the metal trades for Emergency War Work. Good wages, good working and best climatic conditions. Astoria Marine Iron Works, Astoria, Oregon. 102

WANTED—Situations. WANTED—Woman want day work. Call at 703 West Thirteenth street, near Laurel. 104

WANTED—Miscellaneous. WANTED—Large clean rags, 5c pound. Medford Printing Company. 100

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EDEN PRECINCT

Miss Juanita Furry is visiting this week with Miss Dorothy Smyth of Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Story of Talent motored to Medford Tuesday. Lennie Colver of Phoenix purchased six dozen fine white leghorn hens of Helman of Ashland Monday.

Mrs. C. Carey is recovering from a very severe attack of tonsillitis.

C. Tall of Medford brought a big cow up to C. Casey's pasture to finish fattening her for beef.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rader and Mrs. Effie Taylor went to the Rader mountain ranch Sunday to be out about a week.

Lloyd Colver met with a bad accident while returning from Dead Indian, and only for the presence of mind of his brother, he would have suffered a broken leg. A horse he was leading pulled back in such a manner as to almost crush his foot with the rope.

Mrs. M. Rose is visiting relatives in Ashland this week.

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