

10,000 BRITISH WAR PRISONERS STARVED BY TURKS

(By Harold Edwin Bechtel) LONDON, Aug. 22.—Figures just revealed show that upwards of 10,000 British and Indian prisoners taken by the Turks have been starved to death or killed by Turkish brutality. The total number of British and Indian prisoners taken by the Turks up to July 1, 1918, is 15,279. Of these, the Turkish prisoners of war committee considers it unlikely that more than 5000 officers and men, if that many remain alive. Prisoners in Germany, as miserable as is their lot, are far better off, the report in common shows, than the unfortunate victims of Turkish neglect and brutality. And starvation cannot be kept away from prisoners in Turkish camps by means of food parcels from home. Even when it was possible to send food parcels to these men, three out of four were never delivered, and for five months now the parcel post to Turkey has been entirely suspended by Austria. Apart from famine, the men in Turkish camps die from lack of clothing, blankets and medical supplies. Officers may have money sent them from home with which to buy the only food they get. But this is paid in Turkish paper, which has decreased in value so that with the exorbitant prices charged the prisoners for food, they are little better off than the privates. There are cases of officers in Turkish camps having exhausted all their savings at home thru this Turkish method of "permitting" them to buy food. And Turkey shows no interest in exchanging prisoners, knowing the British treat prisoners well.

HAWAIIAN ISLES ADDED TO LIST OF BONE DRY SECTION

HONOLULU, T. H., Aug. 22.—The territory of Hawaii today was added to the list of war-time prohibition communities. At midnight the four main islands of the group went "dry" by congressional enactment, the Sheppard law barring the manufacture and sale of liquor in the island for two years after peace, becoming operative. At that time the territory may call a plebiscite on whether prohibition shall continue. The island of Oahu of which Honolulu is the county seat has been "dry" since April under an executive order issued by the president. The islands affected by the Sheppard law are Hawaii, Maui and Kauai. Under the Sheppard act the importation of liquor is forbidden. Possession of liquor in the home, however, is permissible. The law also operates to put an end to the brewing of sake, the Japanese national drink. The Japanese at first were inclined to protest the enactment on the ground that sake is essential to their diet. Japanese officials, however, prevailed on their countrymen to comply with the law in view of it being a war measure.

FARM WORK FOR WAR OBJECTORS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—After struggling for a long time with the knotty problem of conscientious objectors in the army cantonments, the war department now announces that the difficulty has to a large degree been solved through the aid of the farm help specialists of the United States department of agriculture. In the various states where there are farming communities which include sects opposed to war, such as the Dukards and Mennonites, and where additional farm help is needed, these places are made known to the cantonment commanders, together with a record of their farm labor needs. The plan has worked out so well that in the three camps were definite lists of objectors were compiled, practically all of these men have been placed. Camp Meade had 88, all of them now at labor on farms; 100 of the 102 men at Camp Lee have been placed, and the majority of these at Camp Taylor.

RUSSIAN COLONEL LEADS MUTINEERS

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 22.—Soldiers of the Russian garrison at Krasnoye Selo, 18 miles southeast of Petrograd have mutinied, according to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin. The mutineers were led by their own commander, Colonel Maren. Commissioner Lissowski went to Krasnoye Selo to pacify the soldiers, the newspaper says, but Colonel Maren replied to him with a speech urging the men to overthrow the government. The soldiers shouted down their colonel, who thereupon committed suicide. Then Commissioner Lissowski tried to address the soldiers again, but he was roughly handled by the friends of Colonel Maren.

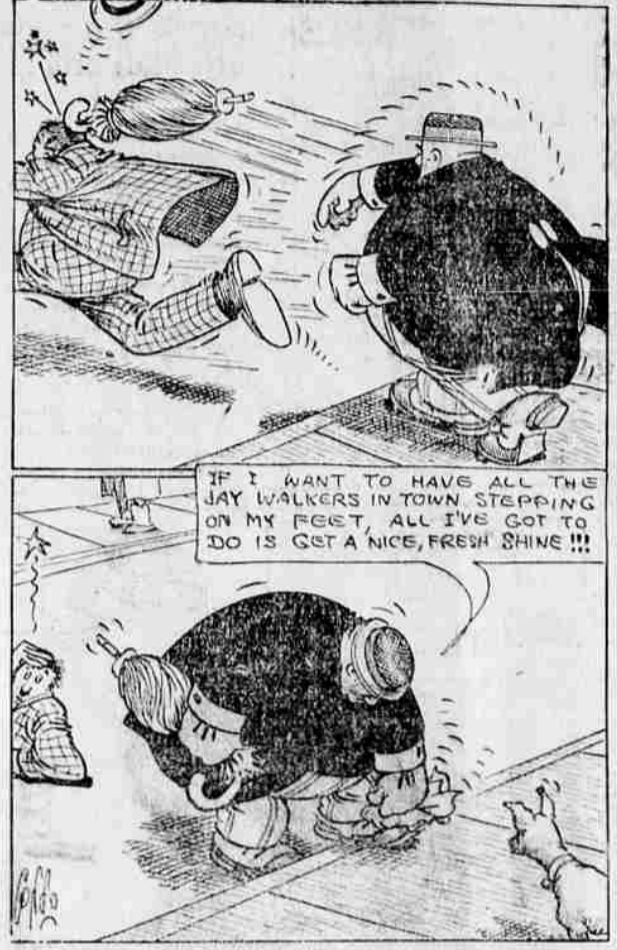
LASSIGNY TAKEN IN SUDDEN DASH

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Aug. 22.—(Havas.)—The operation which resulted in the fall of Lassigny Wednesday began with a successful thrust from the west by a battalion of Chasseurs. Doyette wood, a strongly fortified position which had delayed the French advance for two days, was taken in a sudden dash, and the battalion reached the outskirts of Lassigny on the west and on the north. Meanwhile other units took the southern outskirts of Lassigny and crossed through the town, chasing the Germans before them. By noon a company of engineers had cleared out the town and captured the last enemy occupants.

BRITISH LABOR FACTION SEEK NEGOTIATED PEACE

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The independent labor party today issued a manifesto urging the British labor leaders to reunite and to assemble in international conference. International socialists and labor, the manifesto says, possess the means of initiating a settlement of the war by negotiation. The manifesto adds that the only large body of labor in opposition is the American Federation of Labor, "which possesses no political mandate, while the American socialist party cordially approves," the holding of a conference.

The Outbursts of Everett True By CONDO



80 PERCENT WAR PROFIT TAXATION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—A 30 per cent deduction from pre-war profits, on the basis of earnings in 1911, 1912 and 1913 in the computation of the 80 per cent war profits tax was agreed upon by the house ways and means committee today as a solution of the pre-war deduction problem in the \$8,000,000,000 revenue bill. Corporations making less than 10 per cent over pre-war earnings are expected to be reached in the excess profits tax. The committee has changed its minimum war profits tax "catch" provision, so as to provide that a corporation failing to come within neither the excess profits or war tax, shall be subject to a war profits tax of not less than 10 per cent on its net income after a given exemption.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS By A. C. Hewlett

Charles Denford, one of the forest rangers, was with us Saturday evening. Miss Isabella Warner of Crescent City, is here visiting her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis. Mrs. John Rader and her daughter, Mrs. Harry Stanley were visiting Mrs. Rader's oldest daughter, Mrs. Roy Ashpole, Saturday afternoon. C. E. Bellows and family were here Saturday evening and so was Russ Moore, Dean Tyrrell, Wila Goss and family, Elbert Robinson, who lives on a part of the Lemmer-Luzen place, Lee Watkins and Chris Beale of Medford, Walter Wood and wife, Thomas Riley, one of our ex-county commissioners and family were also business callers Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Baehler and Mr. and Mrs. Miles of Medford were going to Prospect Saturday night. Among the guests at the Sannyside Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Phipps and son Estell, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ray. Mrs. Dr. C. R. Ray, daughter Miss Mabel, and son Charles, of Medford, Mrs. Anna Corum and two daughters, Miss Irene and Jenette, Mr. Putnam Eddy and Siltwell, John Foster and Nick Young. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arnes, August 19, a daughter, and Monday Joe was buzzing around Eagle Point as happy as a lark. George H. Wansley, one of the veterans of the Civil war, started Sunday evening for Portland to join in the festivities of the reunion of the G. A. R., but the most interesting reunion with him will be the reunion of himself and two brothers, one of whom he has not seen for 30 years. W. S. Wood, another one of our veterans, also went to Portland at the same time. A. J. Florey, another one of the soldiers of the Civil war, a respected citizen of our town, was so gripped up with rheumatism that he did not feel that he was able to stand the trip, and I have not learned whether James Jordan, another of the Civil war veterans, went or not. There is only four of them left now, and we realize that each successive year the ranks of the G. A. R. are being

thinned out and in a very short time they all will be numbered with those who have gone before. And when we look back at the gracious results of their bravery and perseverance we can't help but look on them with veneration, and witness the result! A united nation, the grandest in the world, solidly fighting for a united democracy of all the civilized nations of the world, a nation not only respected but recognized as the leading nation in point of intelligence, progressive in all the arts and sciences and in the line of invention leading all others and now Old Glory is hailed and joyfully greeted by all and feared by our enemies. Today was one of the quietest days we have had here for a long time. There seemed to be but little going on although I hitched old Pete to the buggy and started out to try my hand working for the Medford Mail Tribune, and the first place I went to was to the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley, found them at home with their two daughters, Mrs. Wilson, whose husband has joined the army, her little son, and their single daughter, Josie, and after spending several hours, for one seldom in a hurry to leave their lovely surroundings, and they are all good company, and here I met Mr. and Mrs. James Owens, he who is to be our next county commissioner, and enjoyed their company for a few minutes. James was assisting in rearranging the telephone wires, so did not see much of him. While I was there Mr. Riley took me out to see his electric plug, the electricity being generated by a Coroline engine. He has his house and barn and all the outbuildings lighted and power enough to pump water, etc., and when he wants to go to the barn in the night, all that he has to do is to turn a button and the path and barn is lighted all through. Before we separated he renewed his subscription to the Daily Mail Tribune. Bidding these good folk adieu, my next stop was at the lovely home of Mrs. M. L. Pruett. I found her and her son Guy at work in the bean patch, preparing for next winter. While there Mrs. Pruett paid up a small balance due on the Weekly Mail Tribune and she had that subscription stopped and subscribed for the Daily Mail Tribune. After looking over her flower garden a short time, my next stop was at the home of W. P. Haley, but I found that he was not at home, so did no business there. My next stop was at the home of Charles Cinyende, and learned that he was out gathering beef cattle in the hills. My next stop was at the home of Joe Riley, but found that his son James was not at home, so did no business there. By this time I was ready to start for home. There was some others I called on the phone and found that they were not at home so did not call on them. On reaching home I found Mr. W. M. Henson, George A. Henson and his wife. They had just returned from Brownshoro, where they are planning to live as they have purchased a part of two places. Mrs. Clare Leidman of Medford came out Monday and spent two days in her old room in the Sannyside. She came out to help in the telephone and postoffice here during the absence of W. C. Clements, the postmaster. A. S. Bliton, the meter reader of the C. O. P. Co. and son Albert, were here for dinner Tuesday. Misses Mildred and Gertrude Carlton were doing business here Tuesday evening. C. M. Spueck of Medford and Dale Hazel were guests at the S. S. and Mr. Hazel spent the night. Since my last report, beside Thomas Riley and Mrs. M. L. Pruett, W. D. Roberts has renewed his subscription to the Daily Mail Tribune and gave me a classified adv. telling the readers of the Daily Mail Tribune that he has wheat and straw for sale. Mrs. Lottie Van Soey has renewed her subscription to the Daily Mail Tribune and J. P. Johnson has given me his subscription to the Weekly Mail Tribune.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 567-12. WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS WANTED—Small kitchen range, equipped to attach to a range boiler. Phone Jacksonville 395. 131 WANTED—At once to purchase 4-foot hardwood in any amount up to 1,000 cords. Phone 786-W. 129 WANTED—Old junk—rags, rubber, brass, copper, zinc, lead and old iron. Will pay best prices. Call 283-J, Medford Junk Co. WANTED—Sell your cream to the Johnson Prod. Co., Central Point, Ore., where the tests and cash counts. WANTED—Houses to move, build, repair or wreck. Phone 488-M or 488-X WANTED—R. H. Tott buys Liberty bonds, also mortgages, notes, judgments, escrow contracts, etc., and makes short time loans on any old thing. FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Must sell, 145 acres at \$20; eighty cultivated, 350 acres at \$25, one-half cultivated. Address Box J. K., Mail Tribune. 129 FOR SALE—Small improved ranch, three miles from Medford, cheap and very easy terms. Above front line. Peaches, pears, cherries, apricots, Concord and Tokay grapes; all kinds of berries. City water. Small house and barn. Sub-irrigated. P. E. Wynkoop, 820 West Twelfth street. FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK FOR SALE—I have a splendid small herd of registered Rambouillet ewes. This band is just the fancy money-making thing for a man with a small pasture. I have no trouble in selling the fine registered buck lambs, and can guarantee that a man's net income will equal that of a far larger herd. David Rosenberg, Medford Hotel. 129 FOR SALE—30 head of shorthorns, average weight 50 pounds; two sows, average 150; 9 small pigs, average 35 pounds. D. R. Patrick, phone 17-F12, Eagle Point, between 8 and 9 in evening. 131 FOR SALE—Weaned pigs, \$5 each. Frank H. Ray, Tolo, Oregon. 132 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE—3-A camera. Phone 374. FOR SALE—44 lug boxes. Chas. J. Olson, Route 3. 130 FOR SALE—Refrigerator, garden tools, garden hose, ladders, book case, etc. J. W. Shirley, 28 Almond street. FOR SALE—Bluestem wheat and wheat straw, on the Joe Rader ranch. Address W. D. Roberts, Eagle Point, Ore. 132 FOR SALE—Good gasoline circular wood saw, busy making money, one-half value, 503 J street, Grants Pass. 131 FOR SALE—Twin-X motorcycle. Call 16-F14, Phoenix, Ore. 133 FOR SALE—Carpenter tools. 508 South King street. Phone 532-R. 130 FOR SALE—Grain sacks. Phone 408-R3. 132 FOR SALE—Cheap for quick sale, five-passenger Overland, good mechanical condition. Phone 385. 131 FOR SALE—Rooming house. A bargain for someone. Will sell fixtures and lease with a good business. Mrs. W. W. Scott, Montague, California. 130 FOR SALE OR RENT—Light auto trailer. Phone 691-J or 894. 132 FOR SALE—Crop of grain hay; also team of good work horses, weigh 1400 lbs., and two Jersey cows. Also three Jersey brood sows. Address Glenn Shiff, Talent, Ore. Phone 6-33. 131 FOR SALE—Dry oak wood delivered in Medford \$3.00 per tier. In Jacksonville \$3.00. Weinbater ranch, 1 1/2 north of Jacksonville. 137 FOR SALE—Body for Ford 1 1/2-ton truck, cheap. Russ Mill. FOR SALE—Ford truck, Smith attachment. L. B. Brown. FOR RENT—APARTMENTS. FOR RENT—One completely furnished apartment, Hotel Holland. FOR RENT—HOUSES. FOR RENT—Five-room house, hardwood floors, full cement basement, garage. Phone 370-W. FOR RENT—Nicely furnished six-room house; also furnished two-room house. John F. White, 714 West Eleventh, phone 449-M. 133 FOR RENT—Furnished house for the winter. Write L. B. Wakeman, Wheelton Annex, corner Tenth and Salmon street, Portland, Oregon. 129 INTERURBAN AUTOCAR CO TIME CARD Leave Medford for Astoria, Talent and Phoenix daily, except Sunday at 8:00 a. m. and 10:00 a. m.; 1:00, 4:00 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday at 10:15 p. m., Sundays leave at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30, 5:30 and 9:30 p. m. Leave Astoria for Medford daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m., and 11:00 a. m.; 1:00, 4:00 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday nights at 9:00 p. m. Sunday leave Astoria at 9:00 a. m., and 12:30, 4:30 and 5:30 p. m. TO TRADE—Old established newspaper and job office in southern Oregon town of 700, on main line S. P. railway. Trade for acreage or town property. News, Glendale, Ore. 130 WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Residence for small stock of notions, dry goods or furniture. Owner, Box 45, Ashland, Ore. 129 TO TRADE—Good wagon for pigs, 506 West Fourth street, Medford. 130

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Portland Livestock. PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 22.—Cattle receipts 269; strong. Prime steers, \$12.50@13.50; medium to good, \$11.00@12.00; fair to medium, \$8.75@11.00; common to fair, \$7.50@9.75; choice cows and heifers, \$8.35@9.25; fair to medium, \$5.25@6.25; canners, \$3.00@5.00; bulls, \$5.00@7.00; calves, \$9.00@12.00; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@8.00. Hogs, receipts 1070, strong. Prime mixed, \$19.50@20.00, medium \$19.00@19.50; rough heavies, \$17.50@18.50; light, \$16.75@18.00; bulk of sales, \$19.25@19.50. Sheep, receipts, 914. Firm. Prime lambs, \$14.00@15.00; fair to medium, \$11.00@13.00; yearlings, \$10.00@11.15; wethers, \$9.00@10.75; ewes, \$9.00. Butter and Eggs. PORTLAND, Aug. 22.—Butter steady. City creamery, 53c; cartons, 50c; buying price butter fat Portland, 50c; extra extras, 50 1/2c; seconds, 48 1/2c; dairy, 36. EGGS—Selling price No. 2, quality, 34c. Buying price, rotten and cracked out, 46c; candled, 48@50c; selected candled in cartons, 53c. POULTRY—Hens, 23c; broilers, 25@30c; old roosters, 16c; turkeys, 28@30c; geese, 22c; ducks, young, 30@33c. Portland Grain. WHEAT—New crop, \$2.20; barley, feed, \$60; brewing, \$62; oats, \$39.50 bid; corn, No. 3, yellow, \$74 bid. MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$31; shorts, \$33; middlings, \$39.00@39.50. Hay—Buying price, timothy, \$30 @34; alfalfa, \$27.50; grain, \$26. It's in the Air. Windblown pollen, carrying the bacteria that inflame nose and throat and cause hay fever, is abroad in the land. One remedy is known to give relief and comfort from choking, gasping asthma and tormenting hay fever. That reliable remedy is Foley's Honey and Tar that spreads a healing, soothing coating on the inflamed membranes, stops irritating coughs and summer colds. Any one who has once used this standard cough and cold remedy will accept no other. Sold everywhere.