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FOCH—MASTER STRATEGIST.

THE development of the past few weeks shows that no mistake was made in unifying the allied armies and the selection of General Foch as commander-in-chief. Without such unity the recent victories could not have been won.

Not since Joffre hurled back the Huns at the gates of Paris, have allied prospects looked so bright. The Kaiser staked all upon the spring offensive, wasted his man power as only a power-crazed tyrant could, and came within the grasp of victory.

Striking at the psychological time on the Marne, forcing the Germans back to the Vesle, Foch has rained local blows so thick and fast upon the Germans that they are threatened with a major disaster. Ludendorff has had no time to mass his reserves for a counter blow but has had to keep them scattered over the 120-mile front, lest any one of the numerous blows develops into a great offensive.

Following the successful Marne attack, came the British offensive south of Albert—followed by the French blow at Montdidier. Then came the steady push towards Noyon, and while it was under way the blow between the Oise and Aisne was struck by the French. As it developed successfully, the British struck in Flanders and further south from Arras to Albert.

The British are driving a wedge toward Bapaume and the French have crossed the Oise and are outflanking the German line on the Vesle and Aisne and the old positions on the Chemin-des-Dames. The entire German line is threatened and soon only an extended retreat can prevent disaster—or a series of disasters.

Marshal Foch is doing all this without the aid of the Americans—which constitute a reserve of 1,500,000. If he can accomplish so much without the Americans—what can he do with them? Go on to Berlin, probably.

All the series of apparently disconnected and scattered blows work towards one result—dovetail into the completed plan gradually unfolding itself—which proves that Foch is supremely the man of the hour to bring victory to the allied forces and banish forever the menace of the Hun.

MYSTERY STORY AT PAGE SATURDAY

Herbert Brenon's presentation of "Empty Pockets," Rupert Hughes' best seller, to be exhibited today and Saturday at the Page theater, is a mystery story of New York's slums and palaces.

As in the novel, Mr. Brenon introduces the mysterious strand of hair "from some copper-haired woman" right at the start of the film and keeps everybody guessing which of five copper-haired beauties committed the murder until he relieves the suspense near the finish of the film.

The ladies involved move in widely separated social circles: Muriel Selwyn (Barbara Castleton), a banker's daughter; Maryla Sokalska (Ketty Galanta), a Jewish sweet-shop worker; Red Ida Ganley (Susan Wills), pickpocket and wife of an east side gunman; Pet Beltany (Peggy Betts), who lives by her wits, and Aphra Shafer, who criss money out of men's pocketbooks.

Melcolm Williams, who as Perry Meribeth "plays dead" during the entire story, declares he can no longer pass a red headed girl on the street without thinking of—not a white horse—but whether she was the girl who did him to death in "Empty Pockets." It must be awful to be haunted by such a thought in a town full of charming copper-haired damsels.

MILLION MEN SHY FOR WAR WORK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The fact that there is now a shortage in war work of 1,000,000 unskilled laborers and that the reserve of skilled workers is exhausted developed today at a conference of field agents of the federal employment service. Further curtailment of non-essential production is planned to release men for war work.

EMPRESS AUGUSTA IS REPORTED ILL

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 23.—Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany is ill at Castle Wilhelmshohe, Hesse-Cassel, the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin says, owing to overstrain from her war relief work. Physicians in attendance promise her full recovery within a few weeks.

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FLAT INCREASE FROM COAL MINERS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—President Hayes of the United Mine Workers of America, other national officers, and two representatives from each mining district, met today at American Federation of Labor headquarters to formulate demands, it was understood, for a flat wage increase for coal miners.

Fuel Administrator Garfield recently ordered discontinuance of the practice of operators of competing among themselves for mine workers by paying of bonuses. The mine workers, it is said, now propose that they be given a wage increase on the theory that if the operators could afford to pay bonuses they can pay higher wages.

After the conference, it is understood the union officials will lay their case before Dr. Garfield.

SUBSTITUTE MINERAL CONTROL MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—A substitute for the mineral control bill recently passed by the house was presented today to President Wilson for his approval, by Senator Henderson of Nevada, chairman of the senate mines committee. It plans to authorize the president to form a corporation or corporations with a revolving fund of \$50,000,000 for purchase of metals, without arbitrary price fixing, and for the allocation of metal products to various war industries.

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The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces in France:

Killed in action, 27; missing in action, 35; wounded severely, 30; died of wounds, 18; died from accident and other causes, 1; died of disease, 11; wounded, degree undetermined, 10; total, 132.

Killed in Action Sergeants Oliver Lucasse, Claremont, N. H.; Elsie W. Westcott, South Penobscot, Me.; Joyce Kilmer, Manor, N. Y.; Thomas E. Landers, Natick, Mass.

Corporals Michael J. Leonard, Staten Island, N. Y.; Gavin R. Meyer, Mattapan, Mass.; Pele Schultz, Pittsburg, Pa.; Myron L. Whitcomb, Hampden, Maine; Moch. Curtis E. McQuillen, Pittsburg.

Privates Amos Deperro, Jefferson Co., Pa.; Hyman Hillson, Roxbury, Mass.; Sidney M. Johnson, Osco, Ill.; Fred Kapanka, Shawano, Wis.; Frederick P. King, Rutland, Vt.; Charles J. Klein, Lewiston, Pa.; Joseph Krone, Lackawanna, N. Y.; Walter Madenford, Media, Pa.; George T. Maxwell, Newton Center, Mass.; Joseph Milkewicz, Jersey City, N. J.; Albert C. Smith, Danbury, Conn.; Ethan A. Stowe, Snyder, Okla.; Hyman Tonkowitz, New York, N. Y.; Erasmo Dinitto, Boston; Ira Fowler, Nevada, Ohio; Walter Byron McCune, Michigan City, Ind.; Kenneth E. Price, Burlington, N. J.; Charles J. Sullivan, Worcester, Mass.

Died From Wounds Corporal Andrew O. Tallman, Joliet, Ill.; Wagoner John L. Conant, Coldwater, Mich.; Privates Charles

Marine Corps Casualties Killed in action, 3; died of wounds received in action, 4; died of disease, 1; wounded in action (severely) 10; wounded in action (degree undetermined) 49; missing in action, 5. Total, 72.

Killed in Action Captain Lester S. Warr, Gloucester, Mass.; privates William Egles-

Sergeant John H. Kollson, Peoria, Ill.; Sergeant Vanhorn Peule, New York; Corp. William P. Schoenfeld, Cincinnati; Privates Oscar A. Dahlen, Kindred, N. D.; Noah Duke, Tishomingo, Miss.; John Evans, Newbern, N. C.; Will Foy, Emelle, Ala.; Raymond A. Garland, Germantown, Neb.; Henry Grier, Charlotte, N. C.; Harold J. Moore, Live Oak, Calif.; Benjamin Rojick, New Britain, Conn.

Died from accident and other causes—Corp. Bart L. Welsh, Wells-ville, O.

Wounded, degree undetermined: Corporal Philander C. Lewis, Corvallis, Ore.

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Attending to Chickens and Garden

"My neighbors are surprised to see me looking so well, for they thought I would not live to see summer. I had such pain around my heart as to cause me to faint. I knew it came from bloating and pressure of gas in my stomach. A friend in St. Louis told me to use May's Wonderful Remedy and I now feel better than in all my life. I am doing my own work, attending to my chickens and my garden and have cleaned house." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by druggists everywhere. Adr.

WOMEN MUNITION WORKERS GET RAISE

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The ministry of munitions has ordered that the wages of women munition workers be increased five shillings weekly after September 1. Girls under 18 will receive an increase of half a crown.

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Medford, Oregon, Jan 13, 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 214 South Front street, 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, Witness:

M. A. Anderson, Medford S. V. Holmes, Eagle Point, Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point, W. L. Childreth, Eagle Point, C. E. Moore, Eagle Point, J. V. McIntyre, Eagle Point, Geo. B. Von der Hellen, Eagle Point, Thos. E. Nichols, Eagle Point, Friday, June 28th, War Savings Day

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