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AMERICA PROTESTS HUN TREATMENT OF WAR PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—The United States has made a vigorous protest to the German government regarding the treatment of American prisoners of war.

The German government is informed that the United States insists that there must be a cessation of the robbing and loss of parcels, and that it is not disposed to give credence to endeavors of the German government to excuse the non-receipt of parcels by laying the blame upon agencies which handle such parcels before they reach Germany.

The state department thru the American ambassador at Berne has asked the Spanish embassy in Berlin to submit vigorous protest on the following points, information concerning which has been officially furnished to the department:

First—Forcing any American prisoners of war to work while ill or physically unable to do so.

Second—Compelling any American prisoners of war to labor in mines.

Third—Compelling any American civilian prisoners to perform any work of any kind save such as may be necessary in connection with their own care and upkeep or in connection with the care and upkeep of their own quarters.

FOOTBALL TRAIN WRECKED AT AURORA

AURORA, Ill., Nov. 8.—An east-bound train special from Camp Grant carrying the camp football team and hundreds of fans for the game with Camp Taylor at Cahok, Chicago, was wrecked at Sugar Grove, Ill., six miles east of here at 8:20 a. m.

Regular passenger train No. 25 west bound, collided with the east-bound train.

Three dead have been taken out of the wreck.

The injured will number twenty, troop officers say.

The Camp Grant football special consisted of 15 coaches crowded with 1200 soldiers.

Members of the Camp Grant football eleven were not on the train, the players having reached Chicago last night.

NO FIGHTING OCCURS ON ITALIAN FRONT

ROME, Nov. 9.—No war event is reported on the Italian front, says the war office statement issued under Friday's date. The conditions of the armistice are being carried out.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—1915 Chevrolet, like new. Terms. Address Box 206 Mail Tribune, 122

LOST—Small black pocketbook, name Thomas D. Hunter. Contains naval furlough, \$1. P. ticket to Portland, B. of L. P. & E. card. Valuable to owner. Return to E. V. Hunter, 266 B street, Ashland, 192

FAKE HAPPINESS AND STREET SALES.

IN gleaming over the peace hoax it perpetrated upon the patriotic people of Portland, the Oregon Journal goes into raptures as follows:

Portland got the news with a jump of the heart—not it with radiant happiness and with more smiles in an hour than Portland has smiled since the war began.

The United Press, the Journal's service, had beaten its rival, the Associated Press, by 25 minutes—25 wonderful, thrilling moments. Every minute was worth more than diamonds. Every minute helped fill more full the cup of community happiness.

Worse than that—more than 28 diamond studded moments—a whole jewelry shop full of them, for the Associated Press wires never carried the fake news at all—instead it exposed the hoax.

The Journal made and makes no apology for its hoax. It continued to print scare head editions for the sake of reaping its penny harvest long after Washington had officially exposed the falsity of the news. In continuing to "fill more full the cup of community joy" by reiterating the falsehood—probably on the theory that a lie well stuck to is better than the truth—its a habit the Journal has. Even the Morning Journal of Friday repeated the mendacious statements—24 hours later—although in the meantime Secretary Lansing had officially branded the story as false.

The following day the United Press issued an "explanation" of the fake—which is more than the Journal has done for its part in the hoax. The United Press endeavors to make Admiral Wilson, commander of American naval forces at Brest the goat, stating that the information regarding the armistice was furnished the United Press by the admiral, who later notified the press representatives that the news was not confirmable. The cable reporting this fact is alleged to have been held up by the censor and not delivered until the following day.

But how came the United Press, with a bureau at Paris and correspondents at the front to go to Brest and accept as authentic, without attempting to verify, a rumor repeated by an admiral far from the front, who had no source of information not available to press associations, and whose ignorance of conditions was apparent in reporting the signing of an armistice 24 hours before the German delegates had met Marshal Foch! a fact that must have been known to the press correspondents.

Within three hours of the receipt of the United Press message, Secretary of War Baker had an official denial from France—but this did not check the circulation of the falsehood by either the United Press or by the newspapers securing its service. As a matter of fact the United Press took a chance for a news beat and promulgated a fake—and the Journal took a chance, to reap the profits of scare-head editions.

The United Press and the Journal have established reputations for unreliability and mendacity that will take years to live down. The clients and the subscribers and the prestige lost will far outweigh those few "diamond" studded moments of fake happiness and street sales.

RED CROSS ASKS MORE WORKERS FOR OVERSEAS

The Jackson County Red Cross chapter has received the following telegrams from the northwest headquarters at Seattle:

"Great need now for men as field representatives overseas and field directors and assistants in the United States. Women needed as hospital but and canteen workers overseas. The war is not ended and if it is, the need will be immediately greater. Work hard on recruiting."

"Over Poisie, director dept. of recruiting personnel."

"Following is copy of telegram received today from national headquarters: 'Highly important that there be no let-up in collection of fruit pits and nut shells regardless of date armistice is signed. Collection should continue. Large number of masks must be manufactured, regardless of when peace is signed. Orders received to collect large reserve stock of carbon materials. Urgent that all materials already collected be assembled and shipped at earliest possible date and that collections continue indefinitely. Lester Turner.'"

DEPLORABLE CONDITIONS EXISTING IN AUSTRIA

ZURICH, Nov. 9.—Deplorable conditions in Austria are described by a traveler of prominence who has arrived here from Vienna. Along the road the train was invaded by crowds. Places in the coaches occupied by Count Leopold von Berchtold former foreign minister of Austria, and Prince of Schoenberg, were taken and the passengers were ejected. Bands of disorderly soldiers installed themselves in those coaches.

Influenza—La Grippe

The present influenza is now known to be our old familiar la grippe. Foley's Honey and Tar is just what every sufferer from influenza or its grippe needs now. It covers the rough inflamed throat with a soothing healing coating, clears away the mucus, stops the tickling and coughing, eases the tightness and heavy breathing. Day and night, keep Foley's Honey and Tar handy. It gives ease, warmth and comfort from the very first dose. Buy it now. For sale by Medford Pharmacy.

WOMEN SEEKING POLITICAL HONORS FAILED IN ELECTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9.—Feminine aspirants in the far west who sought seats in congress failed without exception in Tuesday's elections, but many other women candidates for lesser elective honors won success in their campaigns for state, county and municipal offices. To women candidates for the United States senate—republican, Jeannette Rankin of Montana, and Miss Anne Martin of Nevada—made notable campaigns but were badly distanced by their masculine opponents.

Many western legislatures will seat women members. In California, four women were elected to the lower house, three of them without opposition. In all, California produced 12 women candidates, but only four were elected. They were all re-appointments.

In Utah three women were elected to the lower house of the legislature, one to the senate; two were chosen as county treasurers and two as county recorders. Virtually all were democrats. Nevada elected only one woman and she will sit in the lower house of the legislature.

Colorado elected a state superintendent of public instruction and two other women to the legislature. In Oregon women were uniformly unsuccessful. Three were defeated for congress and six for the legislature.

CHURCHES

Ev-Luth. Zion's Church Fourth St. below Oakdale Ave. Rev. Dr. W. R. Morson-Osser, Pastor. Res. 34 West Fourth St.

Dear members and friends of our beloved Zion: These are days that call loudly for repentance, but more importantly should be found necessary. Amidst all the life being suffered, how few think of the Lord and pray to Him for deliverance! The deprived of the privilege of public worship, we can read and meditate upon God's word and ask Him for help. Call upon God and ask Him to stay his epidemic, to bless those that are sickly, to keep those that are well; to be with our men on land and sea, and give us all peace and love with grateful hearts; to love, serve, praise and thank Him better.

Humble yourselves under the strong hand of God, so that, when it is time, He may raise you. Let all your anxieties fall upon Him, for His interest is in you. The prayer of a righteous one availeth much. Faithfully yours, Morson-Osser, Pastor.

Fallen for Freedom

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

Killed in action, 333; died of wounds, 251; died from accident and other causes, 3; died of disease, 170; wounded (degree undetermined), 123; wounded slightly, 46; prisoner, 1; wounded severely, 22. Total, 543.

Killed in Action—Corps. Nesero Dansini, San Francisco, Cal.; Private Harry L. Calvert, Inglewood, Cal.; Private James J. Cozwell, Los Angeles, Calif.; Private Clarence S. Hammell, Oakland, Cal.; Private Patrick Dillon, Sacramento, Calif.; Lawrence A. Donohue, Oakland, Cal.; Private Emile C. Nixon, San Francisco, Cal.; Major Joseph G. Greuta, Tacoma, Wash.; Sergeant Elwyn C. McKennon, Los Angeles, Cal.; Sergeant Norman R. Sheedy, Los Angeles, Cal.; Sergeant John M. Sweetman, Sebastopol, Cal.; Sergeant William H. Whitney, Oakland, Calif.; Corp. Lester L. Weilandt, Peters, Cal.; Corp. Virgil C. Womack, Sunnyside, Wash.; Corp. Miles Price, Stillacom, Wash.; Mechanic Daniel Larsen, Elm-burr, Wash.; Wagoner Roy A. Stover, Riverside, Cal.; Private Albert E. Parker, Redlands, Cal.; Private George S. Baban, Los Angeles, Cal.; Private Milford H. Brown, Azusa, Cal.; Private Harry Mank, San Francisco, Cal.; Private Lewis G.

Maskery, Spokane, Wash.; Private William L. Netzer, Sancer, Cal.; Private Nicholas W. Panagos, Weed, Cal.

Died of disease—Private Harold H. Anderson, Bellingham, Wash.; Private Albert E. Hamilton, Klamath Falls, Ore.; Private Chas. A. Baker, Cloverdale, Cal.; Private Joseph P. Donnelly, San Diego, Cal.; Private Stephen Kukul, Malo, Wash.; Private John A. Schaefer, Los Angeles, Calif.; Private Arthur Hanson, Bellingham, Wash.; Private Dwight P. King, Glendale, Cal.; Private Leonard F. Schman, Santa Rosa, Cal.

Wounded, degree undetermined—Private Thomas Earles, Seattle, Wash.; Private Frederick H. Chapell, San Francisco, Cal.; Private Charles L. Davis, Genesee, Cal.; Private Robert K. Yandell, Spokane, Wash.

Wounded severely—Corp. Joseph H. Nunes, Watsonville, Cal.

Wounded slightly—Private Jarrz Moskowitz, San Francisco, Cal.

Died of wounds received in action—Private James A. Brown, Soguel, Calif.; Private Martin V. Charlton, Prairie, Wash.; Private William Compton, Santa Barbara, Cal.; Private Herman E. Elund, Furloek, Cal.; Private William W. Griffith, Rose-lodge, Ore.; Private Mike Genzel, Seattle, Wash.; Private William O. White, Marysville, Cal.; Corp. Elmer R. Anderson, Tacoma, Wash.

feel proud of the success of the northwest division to which we belong. The first drive the quota was 200 tons. The second drive added 50 per cent to the quota, or 300 tons, and the last report showed that 450 tons had been collected and Medford chapter sent four tons of the above amount.

Local Red Cross chapter has been notified that labels will be sent for Christmas boxes to go overseas to the boys who haven't relatives in this country. Money must be provided for these boxes and we are asking for cash donations. Will you please call at the Red Cross office and leave your contribution.

It has been suggested that a khaki handkerchief be put into each Christmas box to your soldier overseas. Many of these boxes will be delivered at the trenches and a handkerchief in which the articles contained in the box can be wrapped, will afford the soldier a way to carry the contents from one place to another.

GOMPERS TO PRESIDE AT PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Samuel Gompers, head of the American Federation of Labor, left today for Laredo, Tex., where he will preside at a Pan-American labor conference to begin November 13.

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to keep up under the terrific strain of nature's effort to filter the acids and poisons out of the system unless they are given a little help. Don't allow your kidneys, the most overworked organs of your body, to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature. It can't be done.

As soon as you commence to have backache, feel nervous, tired or worn out without cause, GET BUSY. There are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly and throwing off the poisons as they should.

Do not delay a minute. Go after the cause of your ailments or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney troubles, which may be the unsuspected cause of ill health. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will do the work. They are the pure original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Ask your druggist for GOLD MEDAL and insist on substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. Three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not help you. Adv.

BULBS and SWEET PEAS

At the Monarch Seed & Feed Co.

INTERURBAN AUTOCAR CO TIME CARD

Leave Medford for Ashland, 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 Ashland 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 5:30. Sunday leave Ashland at 9:00 a. m., and 12:30, 4:30 and 6:30 p. m.

MUSTEROLE—QUICK RELIEF! NO BLISTER!

It Soothes and Relieves Like a Mustard Plaster Without the Burn or Sting. Musterole is a cream, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. It does all the work of the old-fashioned mustard plaster—does it better and does not blister. You do not have to bother with a cloth. You simply rub it on—and usually the pain is gone!

Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuritis, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, humpback, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



FORTY-EIGHT CAMP FIRES ABOUT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—Forty-eight camp fires—one for each state—in the union—will be lighted next Monday night in a park near the White House as a feature of the United War Work campaign in Washington.

The DIET During and After The Old Reliable Round Package

Advertisement for Horlick's Malted Milk, featuring an image of the product and text describing its nutritional benefits.

Advertisement for THE JACKSON COUNTY BANK, featuring a circular logo and text about appraising at the right value and offering 4 per cent interest on savings accounts.

Advertisement for WEST SIDE PHARMACY, located at The Rexall Store, with contact information for Ralph Woodford, Prop.

Advertisement for Willard Electric Shop, featuring the slogan 'HOW'S YOUR SPARK?' and text about car batteries and spark plugs.

Large advertisement for Poultry and Turkey products, featuring the text 'Poultry Poultry' and 'We have extraordinary marketing facilities WE PAY TOP PRICES Special demand for TURKEYS Jackson County Creamery Successors to Medford Poultry & Egg Company Always in the lead on prices'.