

CONDITIONS IN NORTH RUSSIA HARD ON TROOPS

WASHINGTON, April 11.—There were no additional reports at the war department early today on the situation at Archangel where a company of American troops were involved nearly two weeks ago in a threatened mutiny, refusing to obey orders to entrain for the fighting lines until appealed to by their regimental commanders.

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Fourth, the dates covering the 3d and 5th also. The change has been made owing to both war and peace complications. The Commercial club will take over the management of the enterprise and stage the big event in keeping with traditions of the past few years, attractions to include roundup features as of yore, supplemented by grand carnival pageants of various descriptions. To back the enterprise financially a special committee will inaugurate a "celebration drive" at an early day, the minimum fund resulting from which must aggregate five thousand dollars. This sum ought to be easily raised, inasmuch as a Victory Week pledge exceeded \$6000. Let all "come across."

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senger and freight agent of the Southern Pacific in this territory, with headquarters at Salem. He comes to Oregon from Buffalo, New York.

Mrs. C. M. Summers has returned home from a visit to San Francisco. Details of the Victory Loan campaign are being arranged ready for the active canvass which begins within a few days. W. N. Campbell, of Medford, is chairman of the Jackson county committee, and it is reported that Otto Winter will lead the Ashland forces, the financial roundup in the Talent-Phoenix district to be directed by Josh Patterson in person.

Before leaving for the golf section of the south on the Chautauqua circuit, Rev. W. L. Mellinger, pastor of the local Christian church, delivered his noted platform lecture before the student body of the Phoenix schools, and indications imply that the address was a rare intellectual treat.

Miss Emma L. Finke, of Dubuque, Iowa, is visiting intimate friends of former Hawkeye state days in the family of W. M. Denton, domiciled in the Tiffany home on Granite street.

There will be a public dance at Memorial hall, Friday night, April 11. Music by the Porter orchestra.

Mrs. Beulah Caldwell Newman, of Portland, arrived recently for a visit here with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barney leave this week for their old home town, Kearney, Neb., to remain indefinitely. Their property on Gresham street has been sold to Eugene M. Holmes, Southern Pacific employe.

The Ashland high school is one among 18 like institutions in Oregon "fully accredited," according to a statement made by Assistant State Superintendent of Public Instruction Carlton, recently in attendance upon the convention of the Inland Empire Teachers association at Spokane, which organization placed our local high school in this classification, an action that implies deserved prestige along the lines of meeting every educational requirement.

Cedric Myer, S. P. fireman, has rented and will soon move into the premises at 137 Second street.

Somebody's pet dog is roaming the streets, not only forlorn but with one of its paws crushed. The plate on its collar bears the name "Bonnie." At last accounts it was canvassing the Pine street district for sympathy and a handout, both being readily forthcoming from kind-hearted humane residents of that locality.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church has changed the date of its regular meetings from the first Thursday to the third Wednesday of each month.

Bill Lindsay left bright and early on Thursday morning to shear goats on the Cove ranch, east of Ashland, now owned by George McClain. He made the trip on horseback.

Vernon Doran, of the 46th coast artillery, is home from France, having made the trip across on the hospital ship "Sierra."

George Owen and D. M. Lowe of this vicinity, are local members of the Jackson County Livestock association appointed to represent the organization's interests on the county fair board as directors. In order to make

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the summer pasture savory for stock, the association will sprinkle forty tons of salt on its widespread range this season. The whippet war tank promptly arrived on the Plaza scene, Thursday at 4:30 p. m. A superficial glance at the machine prompts one to wonder how it can withstand ordinary shock not to mention heavy artillery. Closer examination, however, reveals its stronger points. Brief Victory Loan addresses were made by E. V. Carter and Supt. Briscoe, standing on the tank's chassis as a platform. Lieut. Likens and his two assistants gave the history and practical workings of the machine, after which the tank performed some stunts in negotiating difficult grade among excavations and on the hillsides. Its appearance in Medford was scheduled for Friday, one day behind time.

Mrs. G. G. Eubanks has gone to California for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Phil Rose, residing at Monterey.

EDEN PRECINCT

Mrs. A. H. Hearn of Phoenix, was a Medford visitor Saturday. Mrs. Reimer of North Talent, was trading in Medford Saturday.

W. E. Anderson and wife of East Eden, were in Medford trading Saturday.

Miss Mary Stanciliff of Phoenix, left Friday for San Francisco where she will visit with friends and relatives for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rapp of Talent, were in Medford Thursday on business.

S. S. Stebbins of North Talent, was a Medford business caller Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter of North Talent, was a Medford business caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter of North Talent, received 300 baby chicks from Mr. Westerfield last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kennedy arrived in Medford Friday from Eugene, where Mr. Kennedy has been working. Mr. Kennedy is organizer for the Woodmen of the World and his work brings him back to Medford.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Carey Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shearer and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cate, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Furry Sunday. C. Carey is now ready to book orders for tomato plants in large quantities.

C. Carey of North Talent was in Talent Monday on business connected with supplying farmers with tomato plants for cannery acreage.

The Talent Ditch company are getting ready for work on their three miles of ditch and expect to be ready to furnish water when needed in the early summer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. French of North Talent, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Crawford, at Talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanciliff and daughter Vivian were at Medford at-

tending the theatre Saturday evening.

Welborn Beckon of Talent, was a Medford business caller Monday.

There have been several newcomers in Talent this week looking for small homes. Many of these people predict a heavy emigration into the valley this summer.

The White Wing Poultry farm, near Phoenix, has one of the best equipped poultry yards on this side of Portland, and is well stocked. Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood understand their business thoroughly.

There is not as much gardening being done in the valley as there should be. Why this is so I cannot say, for surely it is a paying business. Our merchants are shipping most of their potatoes, onions and the like in. Mrs. Nannie Woolf, of Phoenix had as guests for dinner last Sunday Mrs. Kenyon, Mrs. Andrus and Mrs. Kenworthy of Medford. Mrs. Woolf spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Andrus at a meeting of the relief corps.

Wednesday of this week a number of the friends of Mrs. Eliza Robley

of Fern valley, gathered at the home of Mrs. Wm. Ferns and gave her a shower. All enjoyed a very social time. Dainty refreshments were served, after which all departed with best wishes.

At a regular meeting of Oak circle No. 242, Phoenix, Ore., delegates and

alternates were elected. The delegates are Mrs. Lillian Coleman, Mrs. Nannie Roberts. Alternates, Mrs. Mima Rose and Mrs. Jessie Stanciliff. The convention will meet at Eugene. The date will be announced later.

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