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What the War Moves Mean

By J. W. T. MASON

(Written for the United Press)

NEW YORK, July 7.—Conflicting evidence as to the naval battle in the Baltic Sea does not bear out the Russian reports claiming that the German lost a battleship, a cruiser, a submarine and a mine layer. The Russian version is vague and without detail. Only the mine layer Albatross is named as having been destroyed. She was attacked in Swedish waters, thus violating Sweden's neutrality. The cruiser destroyed, Petrograd said, was beached like the Albatross. If this is true, its name must have been revealed. Yet Petrograd mentioned only an "unnamed cruiser."

Petrograd described the battleship alleged to have been sunk as the Deutschland class. Berlin denied the loss of such a vessel, and it is difficult to understand how the Russians approached close enough to torpedo the warship without recognizing the name. Each warship even if it is of a distinctive class, has a number of identifying characteristics.

There is reason to doubt, also, the probability that a German submarine was destroyed. This claim was

based by Petrograd upon the statement that a destroyer rammed the vessel. Ramming submarines has become a highly imaginative proceeding. With so many reports of ramming from the British, extension of the hallucination to the Baltic might have been expected. All reports have been, as the Russian say, that the submarine was not seen to again rise to the surface. A submarine diving before an approaching enemy naturally would not rise again. But if it was rammed, distress buoys would almost inevitably come to the surface.

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TWO HIKERS TO VISIT LAVA BEDS

CLAIM MODOC CHIEF HAS REVEALED DEATH CAVE IN BEDS TO THEM—WILL SEE MT. LASSEN AND OTHER SIGHTS

PORTLAND, July 7.—Heeding the call of the wild and looking for adventures that are to be found in the great outdoors and on the broad highways, George E. Love and Fred L. Carlton, two young men of this city, with packs on their backs, have struck out for the wildest and roughest parts of Oregon, California and Colorado. Love and Carlton are not amateurs in the art of hiking, having spent many a vacation in the enjoyment of this healthful outdoor sport. Their packs are marvels of convenience for the outdoor traveler, averaging twenty-five pounds. The itinerary of the hikers will include the Oregon ice caves, in which Love was once lost for nineteen hours, most of the time being unconscious, while on their hiking expedition last year; also

the Death cave that Love was taken into by an old Indian chief of the Modoc tribe, will be located again. This cave is in the lava beds and rattlesnake country along the Klamath Lakes. Their itinerary will also include the Shasta country, Mount Lassen, Lake Tahoe and Yosemite National Park. They plan to spend a considerable portion of their time exploring the Grand Canyon, the petrified forest and the region of the ancient cliff and cave dwellers. The hikers will be gone for two or three months.

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Why I Would Be a Judge



Mrs. Clarice Margoles-Baright, a practicing lawyer of New York city, has made formal application to be appointed judge of the court of special sessions in that city to Mayor Mitchell. Answering the question why she wanted to be a judge she wrote the following:

Above all else, because I am a woman, with all of a woman's close association and sympathy with children and her greater knowledge of the workings of the youthful mind. Having myself brought up two children to splendid successful girlhood, I have all the advantage which such an accomplishment brings to a woman, in the intimate association with the child nature which it gives.

Further than this, because I have for the past twelve years been devoting myself to the close and intimate study of the conditions which make up the lives of the boys and girls of this city who appear before our juvenile court. In carrying on this work I have lived among these people, I have been their confidant and adviser in times of trouble. I have broken bread with them, I know their weaknesses, their shortcomings and the handicaps that surround their lives, and they know me.

Women have accomplished wonders whenever they have seriously devoted themselves to any important undertaking; they always "make good," and when those matters affect the care and welfare of the child, they are pre-eminently fitted to hold any authoritative position, provided they possess the necessary technical knowledge and social service training.

The father reprimands, the mother consoles, guides and teaches, and even where the father does guide, he is rarely in that close sympathetic mental touch which reads the child's mind with understanding, as does the mother.

Notice to Taxpayers

The tax rolls are now open for inspection. All property owners are requested to call at the assessor's office and look over their assessment. 7-101

Big Mid-Summer Suit Clearance Sale at K. K. K. Store Wednesday.

FOODSTUFFS GO TO THE WAR ZONE

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—The share of the United States in feeding the world, a task vastly increased by the European war, was disclosed in the statistics of the department of commerce. Foodstuffs valued at \$724,000,000 were exported during the eleven months ending June 1. This was the principal factor in the nation's billion dollar foreign trade balance.

The effect of the war is seen in the enormous increase in the value of foodstuffs compared with exports, the figures for the same eleven months a year ago, when the total was \$443,000,000.

Wheat formed the biggest item in foodstuffs sent abroad. In all 245,756,000 bushels were exported, an increase of 164,000,000. It was valued

at \$319,961,000, showing an increase over the previous year of \$239,138,000.

Oats valued at \$51,669,000 were shipped, an increase of \$51,028,000. There were 86,428,000 bushels, an increase of almost \$5,000,000 bushels. Flour showed the next largest increase, with a value of \$37,650,000, or \$37,638,000 more than the previous period. Almost 5,000,000 more barrels were sent out this year, the total being 15,077,000.

Corn exports were valued at \$34,542,000, an increase of \$28,551,000. There were 34,542,000 bushels exported, an increase of about 28,000,000 bushels.

Almost 305,000,000 pounds of bacon were exported. It was valued at \$41,249,000, or an increase of \$17,000,000. It was valued

ALFALFA FOR A UNIVERSAL CURE

CHICAGO PHYSICIAN CLAIMS IT IS THE GREAT PANACEA FOR ALL AILMENTS TO WHICH THE HUMAN FLESH IS HEIR

CHICAGO, July 7.—Alfalfa as a remedy for indigestion and mental depression was recommended today by Dr. Alexander L. Blackwood of Chicago at the closing session of the



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annual convention of the American Institute of Homeopathy.

Dr. Blackwood told of experiments made with the new remedy on patients at a Chicago hospital.

"During the past year observations were made of the action of alfalfa on seventeen persons," he said. "All of them noted that they grew so hungry that they could scarcely wait for their meals. Their minds were clear and bright, all bodily functions were stimulated and it was impossible to have the blues."

Before adjournment Dr. Frank Brannen of Chicago attacked the serum treatment of rheumatism, and scored certain manufacturers who, he said, practically force their remedies on the profession by advertising and publishing a few testimonials, in that manner bringing sufferers to a point where they demand the alleged cure, regardless of the advice of their physician for or against it.

Seven Killed in Explosion

United Press Service
MONTREAL, July 7.—An explosion at the Canadian Explosive company's plant at Beloit, Quebec, killed seven workmen and injured many others seriously.

A jammed cordite in a cutting machine caused the fire which destroyed several buildings. British Government Inspector Lent for this company during the war was killed by the explosion.

Points the Way

This Statement of a Yreka Resident Will Interest Our Readers

Our neighboring town Yreka points the way in the words of one of its most respected readers:

James Lovelace, Fourth street Yreka, Calif., says: "Time after time I have had lumbago and backache so badly that I could scarcely do anything. I used many remedies, but none seemed to do me any good. Before I had finished one box of Doan's Kidney Pills, the backache and other troubles had left."

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