

BATTLE RENEWED TODAY IN FLANDERS

STRONG POINT IS TAKEN NEAR YPRES

Positions Improved at Various Points in Northern Sector. British Renew Attack North of St. Quentin.

French Take Town of Benay South of St. Quentin. Allied Navy Busy in Northern European Russia.

(By Associated Press).

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The British attack against the Hindenburg line northwest of St. Quentin was resumed today east of Epehy. Further steps forward have been taken by the British on the Flanders front. The positions of the latter have been improved west of Measines to the south of Ypres, where a strong point was captured.

Northwest of St. Quentin the British have progressed thru the main Hindenburg line northwest of Bellenblise, north of Gauchewood and west of Villers Guislain.

One British advanced post was pushed back slightly.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY, Sept. 21.—The English attacked the German lines today midway between Havrincourt wood and St. Quentin on a front of two and a half to three miles.

PARIS, Sept. 21.—In the drive for the outflanking of St. Quentin on the south, the French troops captured the town of Benay and made progress north of that place.

At Castres, where the French are only slightly over two miles from St. Quentin, they repulsed German attacks.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21.—General March announced today that a million and three quarters soldiers had now been sent over seas.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The Serbians east of Monastir have advanced over nine miles in one day and are now less than eight miles from the main highway connecting Prilep with the Vardar river. A great number of prisoners have been captured and the Allies have taken Godiyak, west of Cerna river, 15 miles southeast of Prilep.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—A British monitor was sunk Monday as she lay in the harbor. Nineteen men were killed and 57 missing. They are presumed to have been killed.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Naval units of the Allies are operating along the River Dwina in northern European Russia and have sunk two enemy ships and captured three guns. Heavy losses have been inflicted on the Bolshevik forces.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 21.—Lepus newspapers say that a government crisis is becoming decisive and that a majority of parties are firmly resolved to form a parliamentary government which is in entire independence of headquarters. It will pursue a policy made necessary by the seriousness of the hour.

Details dispatch by Associated Press. Driving northward an ever widening front the Serbians and French are menacing the entire Bulgarian positions from the Adriatic Sea to Salonika. The cutting off of Uskub on the Salonika railway only nine miles from the new Serbian line would upset the Bulgarians completely. The Serbians have advanced twenty miles from Sokol to positions at Drogojem north of which the cavalry is now operating.

Additional villages have been liberated and there is no telling where the enemy will make a stand. The British and Greeks continue their pressure around Lake Doiran and the successful continuation of the Allied stroke is fraught with great possibilities.

The Turks from the Mediterranean to the Jordan north of Jerusalem appear to have suffered serious defeat at the hands of the British and their Allies the Arabs. The Sultans forces may suffer disaster if the situation develops favorably. Over a sixteen mile front the Allies have virtually overran the whole Turkish defensive system along the Mediterranean Coast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action 45, Missing in action 5, Wounded severely 99, Died of wounds 13, Died of disease 5, Died from accident and other causes 7, Wounded slightly 1, Privates Frank Ward of Nyasa, and Jack M. Elliott of Portland are listed as wounded severely.

BIG CLEANUP PLANNED BY CITY WOMEN

WELL KNOWN WOMAN GIVEN POSITION AS CITY SANITARY INSPECTOR AT SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

A wholesale cleanup of the unsanitary conditions of this city is expected to result from the appointment of Mrs. Paul Bogardus as City Sanitary Inspector at a special meeting of the city council last night. The meeting was called at the instance of the Womens Council of Defense which has been considerably disturbed by some conditions which have become prevalent owing to the inability of the city officials to secure necessary aid in combatting them. The women have voiced a desire to come to the front at this time and assist in this vital work.

Mrs. Bogardus, who undertakes her new duties immediately, will make a canvass of the city and file complaints at all points where situations are found not in keeping with the ordinance. She is empowered with full powers for the enforcement of the regulations. Health Officer Warren Hunt was present at the meeting last night at which there was considerable discussion regarding the city sanitary ordinance.

Police Judge A. L. Leavitt has been instructed to have a large supply of copies of the City Sanitary ordinance, Number 396 printed for distribution among the residents of the city.

Members of the Womens Council of Defense who are most optimistic over the success of the new move, declared this morning that much of prevailing uncleanness was due to carelessness on the part of citizens than to willful neglect and that people would use more care, when their attention was specifically called to the matter.

Mrs. Bogardus will be given a salary of \$115 per month. It is expected that a large number of the women of the league will co-operate with Mrs. Bogardus in every way. Mayor Cristler declared this morning that he hoped to have a huge body of women busy in this new undertaking which he declared could only be accomplished successfully by some method as had been adopted.

MILITARY OBSTRUCTIONS SOON BROUGHT TO TRIAL

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Preparation of important prosecutions growing out of violations of war time statutes is nearing completion, according to Federal attorneys, who announced here today that Jeremiah A. O'Leary and other alleged obstructors of the nation's military progress will be placed on trial this month and next.

The case against O'Leary and six associates, indicted on charges of conspiracy to commit treason and espionage will be one of the last heard, said officials of the Department of Justice, because one of the defendants, John T. Ryan, a Buffalo, N. Y., lawyer, still is at large.

ARNOLD FUNERAL DELAYED UNTIL ARRIVAL OF SON

Final funeral arrangements for the late Noah E. Arnold who passed away at the Klamath General Hospital Wednesday night will not be announced until the arrival of his son who is now on his way from Houston, Texas.

VETERAN WILL TELL OF WAR SUNDAY NIGHT

TRENCH HERO WHO RESCUED WIFE FROM CLUTCHES OF HUN WILL BE IN CITY WITH PROMINENT OREGONIAN

Arrangements are completed for a packed house at the big patriotic gathering at Houston's Opera House at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Residents of this city and surrounding country are to be given an unusual opportunity to hear a veteran of the trenches, Major Jack Hamilton, who will be present with Hon. L. J. Simpson, recent candidate for governor of Oregon.

Major Hamilton, who had been a soldier for 14 years prior to the outbreak of the European struggle, has had a wonderful military experience. He was present at the retreat from the battle of Mons and during that time rescued a French lady from the Huns, who afterward became his wife. It is expected that the visiting party will arrive in Mr. Simpson's auto, and if so, Mrs. Hamilton will accompany her husband.

The band will play in front of the opera house at 8 o'clock and the Liberty Loan chorus will be on hand. The audience will sing a number of old songs, the words of which will be thrown on the screen.

The meetings will be free to the public and everybody is urged to take advantage of hearing these speakers.

HUNS BELIEVE YANKEES KILL ALL PRISONERS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VERGE, Sept. 21.—(By the Associated Press.)—A German prisoner captured recently suggested his captors send a note from him to German soldiers, by airplane or otherwise, explaining that the report that Americans kill German prisoners is untrue. He said many Germans would surrender if assured Americans do not kill their prisoners, as the Germans have been led to believe.

An appeal, written in English, calling upon Americans of German ancestry to join the forces of Germany, has been dropped by enemy aviators.

It has also been sent into the American lines by means of small find greater liberty and more opportunities. This appeal asserts that in Germany the Americans would find for advancement than in the United States; it condemns President Wilson, asserting that he is more English than American Germany is pictured as one poor little nation defending herself against the vicious attacks of the armies of the whole world.

REVOLT AMONG GERMANS FRAMED BY LEADERS

PARIS, Sept. 21.—That a spirit of revolt is growing in the German army is shown by a secret order issued by General Ludendorff, which has been captured by the Allies. The order commanded the most rigorous repression of revolutionary utterances. It was brought about by references to outbreaks in the army, overheard on trains carrying German soldiers on furlough. When absent on leave German soldiers are not allowed to carry small arms any more.

MORE WATER FOR COUNTY LANDS SOON

STATE ENGINEER APPROVES PLANS FOR IRRIGATION OF BIG TRACT ABOVE DITCH EAST OF KLAMATH FALLS

SALEM, Sept. 21.—State Engineer Lewis has approved the general plans for the Enterprise Irrigation district in Klamath county. The law requires the approval of his office before an irrigation district may proceed with the sale of bonds and construction work.

As the designs of the principal structures for the project have not yet been filed with the state engineer he reserves the right to pass upon them before construction work is begun. Early approval was sought by the district so it might proceed with the sale of bonds.

The district will include 3000 acres with the possibility that another 1000 acres will be added. It is being developed in co-operation with the United States reclamation service, as it is proposed to pump water for the district from the reclamation service canal, which now serves the Klamath reclamation project. The district will enter into an agreement to pay the reclamation service \$15 an acre for water right and the use of its canal, and it will install its own pump and materials from the main canal at a cost estimated to be \$12.50 an acre.

The Enterprise Irrigation District is above the main Government Canal between Klamath Falls and Pine Grove, seven miles east.

NEGRO TROOPS FIGHT WELL IN RECENT BRUSH

NOGALES, Ariz, Sept. 21.—Negro troops fought under a non-commissioned officer after their white commander was killed here during the skirmish between American troops and Mexicans across the international line.

A troop of negro cavalry with but one white officer went across the border singing "Hall, Hall, the Gang's all here." When half way up one of the three hills back of the Mexican town, Captain J. D. Hungerford was killed by a sniper. The negroes, in command of the first sergeant, continued their advance under fire, clearing the brush houses and adobe buildings of snipers and going over the top of the hills in pursuit of the men they held responsible for their commander's death. The negro cavalry continued fighting valiantly until "cease firing" was sounded by the American trumpeters after the Mexicans had run up a white flag for a parley.

Corporal James Harris, who was wounded during the skirmish, was with Captain Boyd when he was killed at the head of his troops at the battle of Carrisal between American cavalry from the punitive expedition and Mexican federal troops. He brought back a pair of officer's field glasses with him from Mexico.

SVEN ON OLD NOTE

A suit for the collection of \$80 alleged due on a note given in September, 1911, has been instituted by Chas. Michell against George Slater, in the office of the Circuit court clerk.

DUTCH REQUEST FOR HELP SAID UNREASONABLE

UNCLE SAM WILL NOT HEAR APPEAL WITH GREAT AMOUNT OF DUTCH SHIPPING IDLE IN NEUTRAL PORTS

WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 21.—Holland appeal for American food while four hundred thousand tons of Dutch shipping lie idle in European ports caused the State Department to express the hope that the Netherlands would follow the example of the other neutrals and open the way for a general resumption of trade by lifting the embargo upon the movements of her ships.

The department gives notice that as long as Holland permits herself to be intimidated by the German threats to destroy ships there can be no arrangement with the United States similar to those entered into with Switzerland, Sweden, Denmark, and other neutrals.

MOTHERS DAY PARADE HERE THIS EVENING

The first demonstration in connection with the Fourth Liberty Loan Campaign will be observed here tonight in the Mothers Day parade for which elaborate preparations have been made and in which an effort has been made to have represented every Klamath County mother who has a son in the service. A great deal of time has been expended in preparation of some of the floats which are declared to be very unique.

The parade will start at the White Pelican Hotel at seven o'clock and will be concluded by community singing in front of the Elks Temple. All patriotic citizens are urged to be present.

MALIN FARMER IS HELD FOR WIFE BEATING

John Housig, a resident of the Malin district was arrested yesterday by Constable Fred Morley charged with beating his wife and threatening to kill her. He was brought to Klamath Falls and this forenoon examined before Justice A. L. Leavitt who acted as Justice of the Peace in the absence of Justice E. W. Gowen.

At the close of his examination he was bound over to the action of the grand jury on a charge of assault and battery. His bonds were placed at \$1000, which he is making an effort to raise this afternoon.

VISIT RELATIVES AT DAIRY

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Odin of Reno, Nev., are here for a visit with the former's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Odin of Dairy. They came in by way of Susanville and hope to take their heels back with them in their car.

WAR TRAIN SUPPOSED TO BE NOW IN FRISCO

SPECIAL TRAIN OF REELER AND SPEAKERS COMING TO KLAMATH FALLS AT NOON TOMORROW BY MISTAKE

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—Oregon is today enjoying hugely a joke on the entire Twelfth Federal Reserve district of the Fourth Liberty Loan, for it now appears that Robert Smith, state manager of the Fourth Liberty Loan and local railroad official practically flooded a train load of war relics which has been down the Willamette valley and which is not to appear again in Southern Oregon. This train is supposed to be somewhere in California and the San Francisco officials are spending many weary moments trying to locate the train that is not there.

It all happened like this. D. J. Byrnes, representative of the committee on public information, was at Helena last week exhibiting this train under the auspices of this committee. To cover expenses, he was charging 50 cents per person and the committee of public information was making a barrel of money for everyone wanted to see these things, which the Americans had wrested from the Germans. Then word came to Mr. Byrnes to turn the train over to the Fourth Liberty Loan and send it at once to San Francisco, which he did, following it the next day.

In the meantime the train somehow got to Portland and arrived here Sunday. It laid down there until somebody at the Union depot got worried and called up Robert E. Smith, manager of the Fourth Liberty Loan at Portland, and told him of this train load of trophies standing down there. At the time Mr. Smith was sending wires to San Francisco trying to arrange for another train which they had down there and which they promised to send immediately. Mr. Smith figured that a train in the hand was worth two in a telegram and sent down to the Union depot and simply took possession of it. That is how it happened that the relic train arrived in Oregon a week before it was supposed to, for the train that Oregon people are now seeing is not the one they are supposed to see. Ten thousand people crowded thru it on Fourth and Stark streets last night, and everywhere that it has stopped thousands have passed thru and affectionately patted the big French 75. Eugene waited until two in the morning to see it and received it with a hand and stayed up the rest of the night to examine each interesting relic from over there.

W. E. Evans, W. A. Carter, and Geo. W. Caldwell stated that the train was one of the biggest features that had ever been sent out to the interests of a Liberty Loan campaign. At Forest Grove and Hillsboro more people saw the train than there were residents in the city, for farmers flocked in from everywhere. The train left Portland last night on the second lap, going to Marysville, North Bend and then back to Susanville and Klamath Falls. Frank E. Smith is still in charge and the same three breakers will tell the people some of the history of the relics wherever it stops.