

GERMANS ARE ASSUMING THE OFFENSIVE

PARIS, Oct. 6.—Reinforced, the Germans have gained slightly in some points, and have been repulsed in others. The fighting continues unabated, with neither side having a great advantage.

The general flanking movement of the allies continues to extend northward. Fresh troops are being used where the German pressure is the greatest.

The Germans are trying to develop a new offensive along the Meuse. The attack there is continuous.

While it is admitted that the Germans have resumed the offensive on the east and west wings, headquarters declare that the Germans gained only the ground that the allies yielded voluntarily.

Critics insist that the German activity is due to the discovery that they cannot maintain the fighting spirit in the Tenthons in a defensive campaign.

Some German cavalry forces of large size are reported in the environs of Lille, advancing before the forces of the enemy, making a movement to northward of the line of Armentieres.

Around Arras, on the right bank of the Somme, the situation is unchanged. There are alternate advances and retirements.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—(Wireless via Sayville)—It is announced that a co-operative move by von Kluck and von Biehn's armies has compelled the French left to retreat considerably. The allies withdrew men from the center to reinforce this wing and avert disaster.

According to official report, the German offense on the right wing is constantly increasing in its effectiveness. The French are being repulsed and nearly enveloped.

It is stated that the German troops have been withdrawn from Ste. Mihiel, because they are needed elsewhere, and that the French re-occupied this position.

United Press Service

PARIS, Oct. 7.—A late bulletin from the front this afternoon says the Germans continue their enveloping movements in the northwest of France.

300,000 LOST IS

GERMAN ESTIMATE

ROME, Oct. 7.—Berlin dispatches estimate the German casualties thus far at 300,000.

The members of the Methodist Episcopal church will tender a reception on Thursday evening at the church to their pastor, Rev. E. C. Richards and wife. A fine program has been arranged, and refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the church and their friends.

It says the battle continues violently on the French left, which line now extends to the vicinity of Lens and La Bassée.

The battle near here is declared prolonged by the masses of cavalry reported centered at Armentieres. In the Woevre district, where the German crown prince is commanding, the Teutons are vainly trying to check the French.

No details seem available regarding the movements near Lille. It is generally admitted that the Germans plan to raid the British line of communications.

WILL ENTERTAIN HEAD OF FORESTRY SERVICE

Henry S. Graves, forester and chief of the forestry service, is to be entertained in Klamath Falls within a short time. At that time his attention will be called to matters of importance to this section.

The chief forester is now making a tour of the Northwest, studying conditions. In a few days he will visit Crater Lake, and make an inspection to determine how much aid can be extended from the government in the construction of roads through the forest reserves, leading to Crater Lake.

Mr. Graves will go to Crater Lake via Medford. From the lake he will come to Klamath Falls, and will be feted and banqueted. He will be met at the rim of the lake by local autoists, and escorted here.

HERALD'S SCORE BOARD WILL SHOW WORLD'S SERIES GAMES

"Gonna give the world series results?"

Again the Herald staff is being besieged with this question from the rabid fans, so to settle all anxiety in this matter, let it be known that the Herald, as usual, intends to give the results of the games right hot off the bat, posting the result of each inning as it is played. The big score board will be posted in the court house yard as usual, and for the time the games are in session, will be the shrine for all the followers of the national game.

Local fans have it doped out that Cornelius McGillicuddy and his hard-hitting, fast fielding gang of Philadelphia will cart away the gonfalon this year—as usual. At any rate, if there is any Boston money here, it has not been discovered by the backers of the Athletics.

To the casual observer it seems that nothing short of a miracle can put Boston in possession of the championship. All credit is due Stallings for his work this year, but with the exception of his pitching staff he is woefully short in other lines. His team was crippled still more yesterday, when "Red" Smith, third sacker, fractured a leg at Brooklyn.

But then, there is always an element of chance—and the fans want the score by innings. Therefore, they will get it.

TO KEEP BOOKS BY MACHINERY

A bookkeeping machine has just been installed and satisfactorily tested at the First State and Savings bank, and will be used hereafter in the keeping of the accounts of the customers. This device adds the deposits, subtracts the values of checks drawn and prints the new balance in a remarkably short time.

According to the officials of the bank, there is absolutely no chance of error in this way. This type of machine, the first in Southern Oregon, is being used by the leading banks of the nation, and reflects greatly to the progressive spirit of the local institution.

"DADDY AND HIS BOYS" IN TOWN

"Daddy and his boys are here." Some people may not have heard of them, so a little introduction is in order. "Daddy" is C. J. Garland, a past master at the art of instilling "pep" into the business of merchants, known all over the West for his up-to-the-minute methods, and the "boys" are Chester Armstrong and F. J. Sheridan, equally versatile at this business rejuvenating game.

The trio arrived Tuesday night from Seattle under a special contract with The Herald. They will soon be making their cheerful calls at the more prominent business houses. Watch for them and their announcements through The Herald.

"This is one of the brightest towns I've ever had the pleasure of visiting," said "Daddy" this morning, after giving Main street the "once-over." "With that new court house and library going up, to say nothing of the work on the city hall, and the industrious air noticeable at all of your bright, inviting business houses, it doesn't look to me as though Klamath Falls is in the throes of any panic or that there is a growth of cobwebs over the business men here. You can always judge a community by the type of its business men—and in this respect Klamath Falls is second to none."

The Klamath Valley Warehouse will store grain and issue warehouse receipts. Phone 58. 57-2w

GUM, HAIR DYES AND PERFUMERY HIT BY SENATOR

SEVERAL MILLIONS MORE AVAILABLE

Democratic Finance Committee of the Senate Makes a Number of Alterations in the War Tax Bill—Many of the Items Are to Be Taxed the Same Rates as They Were During the Spanish-American War.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 6.—The democratic members of the senate finance committee met today, prior to the democratic caucus, and adopted an amendment to the war tax bill, whereby a tax of 4 cents will be levied on each dollar's worth of chewing gum.

The committee decided to tax patent medicines made by private formulas and perfumes, hair dyes and dentifrices the same as during the Spanish-American war.

The committee added a tax on sparkling wines. These were not taxed under the bill as it passed the house. The rate fixed is one cent for pints and two cents for larger bottles.

It is estimated that the additional taxes provided for today will add several million dollars to the government's income through internal revenue.

SAYS AGREEMENT NOT FULFILLED

Suit to recover \$750, representing \$500 alleged due from Alfred P. Dobson and D. M. Griffith, and damages she sustained as a result of their actions, is sought in a suit filed in the circuit court by Alice M. Southworth. W. H. A. Renner is her attorney.

The plaintiff alleges that in 1910, she sold some lands for a little over \$1,900, accepting a mortgage for \$500 of this amount. Later, she says, the defendants bought the property, and agreed to pay her the money due and interest thereon if she would make out a release.

The complaint states that she did this, and placed the release in the First National Bank. She alleges that without satisfying her claim, the defendants secured her release, and had it filed in the county records, and that as yet she has been unable to recover the \$500.

Q—WHEN IS THE

TRAIL NO TRAIL

By LORA KING

Everybody knows that the road to Shippington is not a paradise track when very dusty or muddy. These are the conditions it assumes most of the time. A great many pedestrians from Shippington, Pelican City and other suburban points pass over this dusty road during the summer.

About 2,000 people have walked to St. Cloud this summer. To preclude the necessity of walking in the main dusty or muddy road, the people have made a trail from Biehn addition to Fairview. This trail threads along the hillside some distance above the wagon road, and if not otherwise used is a good route for pedestrians.

We say "if not otherwise used," and here is where trouble starts. For horsemen persist in riding over this footpath, and as a result of roughly shod and newly shod hoofs, the trail is cut up in a way that makes it hard to walk over, especially for women and school children.

The people have protested in vain. It looks like any man with the least consideration for the welfare of his neighbors would take a tumble to the rights of others, and use the main road.

One individual even made an attempt to drive over the trail in his wagon the other day, but for what purpose he alone knows.

We just say these few words in behalf of our neighbors, trusting that they will be sufficient.

GRAVES LOSE AN INFIELD PLAYER

BROOKLYN, Oct. 6.—The Boston Braves received a hard setback in their race for the world's championship today, when third base man, F. V. Smith, fractured his leg.

Smith was sliding to second in the first game with the Dodgers today when the mishap occurred.

Smith's average as an infielder was fourth in the National League last year, and he also qualified as a pinch hitter. Who will hold down the "difficult corner" for the Braves during the series is not yet announced.

Quick to realize, as did Germany, the necessity of a high birth rate to offset the deaths due to the war, a movement has been started in England to reduce the marriage fees and to encourage soldiers and sailors to take wives before leaving for the front.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has addressed an open letter on the subject to a London paper. In Germany a similar movement was inaugurated some time ago.

SOME MINOR WAR NEWS FROM EUROPE

LITTLE STORIES FROM THE FRONT THAT ARE COMING IN THROUGH THE CAPITALS OF THE NATIONS NOW FIGHTING EACH OTHER—SOME ARE TRIVIAL, BUT ALL ARE INTERESTING AT THIS TIME.

United Press Service

LONDON, Sept. 21.—(By mail to New York)—Sailors with the British fleet are chafing at the bit, judging by letters they are sending home to their relatives. Following is a sample of the letters that are being received every day from the sailor lads:

"We are having a rather trying time up here, closed up around our guns all day long, and on the alert for emergencies. Whether the Germans will tackle up or not is a matter of indifference to us, as I do not believe any of the ships would be blown away under the fire from the German ships. I don't believe they could hit us if we were all clustered together, but at the same time we are all of one wish, and that is to have a bump at 'em. Let 'em come, is what we say."

LONDON, Sept. 21.—(By mail to New York)—A new story on Lord Kitchener is going the rounds now, and it is a typical Kitchener story. On one of the first days after he had taken command of England's war forces he sent word to a postoffice official to send him twenty-four telegraphers for field work at once. Word was sent back that owing to the great rush of business they could not be spared.

"You tell him to have twenty-four men here within one hour or I'll go down there and get them myself," thundered K. of K.

The telegraphers presented themselves to him in less than an hour.

BILL AIMS TO END LONG DEBATES BEFORE CONGRESS

By BURTON K. STANDISH

(Written for the United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—After the end of the next session of congress, if predictions of Senator Owens of Oklahoma are accurate, there will be no more tiresome unending debates in the United States Senate.

It will be possible, if the plan of the Oklahoma senator is carried out, to make a motion at any time in the consideration of any bill to bring debate to a close within two days, half the time remaining after the motion is carried to be assigned to each side of the argument.

For obvious reasons no fight is being made at this session to put through any such "radical rule." A number of the older senators are desperately opposed to any change, and would filibuster against it.

Under the present rules, if enough of them got together and continued to talk it would be impossible for a vote ever to be reached, so that plenty of time would be lost to put through this time-saving rule. But this time is just what there is a scarcity of at this session of congress, which has already dragged along to almost record breaking length, and threatens to continue up until December, when the next regular session begins.

A striking example of what one senator is able to do in the way of obstructing legislation was shown at this session in the action of Senator Burton of Ohio in opposing passage of the rivers and harbors "bark barrel" bill. Under the present rules a senator may discuss a bill for a year continuously, if he is physically able to do so, nor is he confined to the subject under discussion.

They still tell the story of how "Pitchfork Ben" Tillman on one occasion, while filibustering against some measure to which he particularly objected, quoted a word in a peculiar sense. His use of the word was questioned, whereupon he had a dictionary brought in, and to prove that the definition of the word and definitions in that dictionary was to be accepted, read page after page of words and definitions to prove that the dictionary he quoted was an authority which could be accepted.

The principal defense of the present system is that no filibuster could succeed which did not have a tremendous popular sentiment behind it. It is pointed out that if Senator Burton did not have strong support to prevent the passage of the rivers and harbors bill, he would not have been able to resist the outcry which might have been aroused by the terrible waste of time to which he is resorting.

It is pointed out that Senator Gorman of Maryland was cherished until he died (except on one or two occasions) by the people of that state because of his famous filibuster which prevented the passage of the Force bill.

Senator Owen himself, who is leading the fight for cloture in the senate,

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Attention has been called to a bit of galling red tape. Soldiers at the front have no money to buy postage stamps with. Their letters are sent with the postage collect. It is argued by many soldiers that the soldiers' letters should be carried free of charge, as many of the mothers who receive letters with postage collect cannot afford it. The postoffice department officials say they cannot take off the charge altogether, but they have reduced it.

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Herr Krupp, the noted gunmaker, was outwitted when he visited England a few months ago before the outbreak of the war. England paid the inventor great homage. They dined and wined him to a queen's taste. In fact, dining was the principal thing he did while he was here. Not because he wanted to, especially, but because that was all his English hosts would allow him to do. Several times the gunmaker expressed a desire to see England's armament works, just a friendly desire, you know. He was showed them, between courses, as it were. The English didn't give him time enough around any armament works to find out whether England was using breech loading cannon or popguns.

The English figured the Herr Krupp might possibly pick up some information which would please the Kaiser immensely. And so that was why they dined him and dined him some more.

was recently taxed by Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire with having filibustered against the bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico as one state. He retorted that he was proud of his action on that occasion, and as long as the rules permitted, would not hesitate to take advantage of another opportunity to kill a piece of legislation which he considered bad.

WELL KNOWN PAIR

UNITE FORTUNES

A romance of several years' duration came to a happy culmination Wednesday, when Rev. Stubbfield united Joseph Pospisil Jr. and May K. Hajicek in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed at the Presbyterian Manse.

The couple were for years residents of the Bohemian colony at Malin, in which their parents have been prominent. For a couple of years the bride and her parents have been living in Klamath Falls, and the groom has been here, connected with the White Pelican hotel for about the same length of time. Both are favorably known both here and in Merrill and Malin.

German builders are planning the construction of a 16,000 horsepower gas engine, and in Switzerland gas locomotives have been built.

If it's worth having, it's worth insuring. See Chilcote.

DO THIS

If you are going to lay in winter supplies, let us figure your bill before going or sending elsewhere. We are in shape to serve you so well that you can make your own guarantee from us—quality and price must satisfy.

It's true the war scare has boosted some things a little, a few things much, but many articles can be bought lower this fall than for several previous years, making the average perhaps lower than you have paid before.

New crop and fresh pack goods are just arriving; if turned quickly it means a saving to you from us of interest, insurance and storage; also the larger profits paid on small drabs.

We can and will help you save much in this way. Study it for yourself; we offer you the chance—TAKE IT.

Bring your list or mail it to us.

SUNSET GROCERY

ATTRACTIONS OF MORE THAN USUAL INTEREST

RECENTLY the towns of Merrill, Bonanza and Fort Klamath have been entertaining the citizens and visitors of Klamath county with displays of home grown products almost unbelievable, even by our own people.

We doubt if many of us actually realized the possibilities of this great country until these different displays were seen and examined.

We also doubt if the majority of citizens of this county KNOW or realize the completeness of Klamath county's biggest and best Drygoods Store—a store with more than SIX THOUSAND SQUARE FEET of floor space, packed almost to the limit with new fall and winter merchandise at most reasonable prices.

In this entire store you won't be able to find \$200.00 worth of merchandise where the price has been affected by the present war.

You can find almost anything you could wish for in drygoods, shoes and ready-to-wear merchandise, and, by comparing our prices with the different mail order catalogues, you will find it will be decidedly to your advantage to buy at home, where you can first inspect the merchandise and then have the use of it from the time you pay out your money.

This store has recently received new shipments of the following: women's ready-to-wear garments, men's and boys' suits, overcoats, sweaters and mackinaws; more than \$2,000.00 worth of new fall and winter shoes, laces, embroideries, blankets, underwear, hosiery—in fact, there is no department but what has received new shipments the past few days.

Don't Miss Seeing the Unusual Display in Klamath Falls Next

The large booth containing this display is located at 411-413-415 Main street

You'll find a crowd almost any time you come, but you'll also find a corps of willing clerks who are anxious to show you the new fall goods.

GOLDEN RULE

THE PEOPLE'S STORE