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## SERVICE

Ask any of our customers about  
**First National Service**  
They are all pleased with it and  
Can tell you why.  
**First National Bank**  
Tillamook, Oregon

## Headache and Neuralgia Remedy

Worth its weight in gold. Try it  
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## The Tillamook Drug Store

YOUNG MAN BE "PRUDENT"—STOP  
WASTING YOUR MONEY  
IN OUR BANK



How many a young man is kept back from promotion or a  
partnership because he does not save a part of what he  
earns?  
The man who SAVES is the man who gains the CONFIDENCE  
of his employer and gets advanced over the extra-  
ordinary man who works by his side.  
BANKING habit is the best habit a man can acquire.  
Bank YOUR bank.  
Tillamook Savings Deposits.  
**County Bank**

## ALLIES START LONG ANTICIPATED DRIVE

Terrific Bombardment Precedes  
Attacks on German We-  
stern Front.

By a combined, continuous onslaught with overwhelming forces on every sector of the battle front, stretching 300 miles from the North Sea to the Vosges mountains, the French and British armies have captured more than 20 miles of German trenches and fortifications for a depth in many instances of two and one-half miles, have seized various villages and vantage points and have taken more than 20,000 prisoners and many guns.

The battle was preceded by preparatory thunder of the hundreds of huge new cannon built for the supreme conflict and which, for 50 hours, literally rained fire on the German fortifications, both explosive and incendiary shells being hurled into the positions held by the Teutonic soldiers.

With almost startling suddenness the roar of big guns ceased. In the next instant tens of thousands of British infantrymen leaped from their trenches south of the region of La Bassée canal and raced forward to the first-line trenches of the Germans. Many of these had been utterly destroyed; only mounds of earth freshly turned by the bursting shells remaining where they had been.

The French attacked at the same instant on a front 15 miles wide. Division after division of infantry swept across the open space between the opposing trenches and cut their way through for distances varying from two-thirds of a mile to two miles and a half.

The successes won are recognized as important, but the main object, which is to break through the German lines, has not been accomplished.

Both the British and French have improved their positions greatly, and hold crests from which they can dominate the German lines of communications, so that their next attempt to win a decisive victory should be easy, in the view of military experts in London.

## GERMANS DECLARE ALLIES ARE STOPPED

Berlin, via London.—The Germans not only have stopped the general offensive of the allies on the western front, but by counter-attacks have gained considerable territory for themselves, according to an official statement by army headquarters. The text of the statement follows:

"Western theater.—The enemy continued yesterday his attempts to break through our lines without achieving any result. On the contrary, he suffered in many places very considerable losses, besides bringing us an appreciable gain in territory.

"Our counter-attack resulted in our capturing 20 officers and 750 men, increasing the number of prisoners taken in this locality to 3398 men, including a number of officers. Nine additional machine guns were captured.

"At Souchez, Angres and Roclin-court and also along the entire front from the Champagne to the Argonne, attacks by the French were repulsed without a break."

Beals & Erekens, contractors, are building for Mrs. Alex. McNair opposite the school house on Stillwell Ave. a modern bungalow, 5 rooms and bath. When completed the new residence will be occupied by Mr. Jackson, the foreman at the Coats logging camp.

## LAHAR'S Variety Store

Tillamook, Ore.

## CHANGES IN GERMAN STAFF

Opponents of Modified Submarine Policy Have Been Removed.

Berlin, via London.—Admiral von Holtzendorff, ex-commander of the German high seas fleet, is now head of the naval general staff, succeeding Vice-Admiral von Bachman. Rear-Admiral Behncke, vice-chief of the naval general staff, also is out, and it is understood his successor will be Admiral von Koch, inspector of marine instruction at the naval academy.

The changes took place in connection with the modification in the submarine policy signalized by Ambassador von Bernstorff's declarations at Washington. The displaced admirals, it is understood, were opposed to the modifications.

## Washington Welcomes War Veterans

Washington.—Washington welcomed thousands of members of the Grand Army of the Republic during the forty-ninth annual reunion, which began Monday and reached its climax Wednesday, when survivors of the conquering union army marched from the capitol to the White House in commemoration of the grand review held after the close of the civil war. About 30,000 veterans, it is estimated, participated.

## Rolph Sweeps San Francisco

San Francisco.—Mayor Jas. Rolph, Jr. will be San Francisco's chief executive for another four years. An avalanche of votes has carried him triumphantly to victory.

## ARSON OPERATIONS GIVEN

Confession Says Gang Burned Houses Bought on Instalment Plan.

Oakland.—Details of the operations of a gang of arsonists were made public here when the police gave out part of the confession said to have been secured from Charles L. Burright, who with his wife, is in custody awaiting trial on a charge of arson. Burright, the police say, gave them the dates and places of 26 incendiary fires for which he and his gang were responsible, and on which they are said to have realized, by collecting the insurance, an average profit of \$600 a fire.

Their method, Burright explained, was to buy lots on the instalment plan, build houses and furnish them, also on the instalment plan, take all the insurance they could get and then set the place on fire.

Burright declared, the police say, that he and his gang had burned houses in Tacoma, Seattle, Portland, Or., and in the following California cities: Richmond, Oakland, San Jose, Englewood, Pasadena, Long Beach, Los Angeles, San Diego, Calexico.

## Federal Control Idea Beaten 28 to 7

Portland.—By a vote of 28 to 7, delegates to the Western States Water Power conference in their concluding session declared for control by the states of the water powers of the states, as against federal guardianship by the secretary of the interior.

## Indiana Votes Bring Dime Apiece

Indianapolis.—Voters were bought for ten cents, "the price of a drink," in the election of November 3, 1914, according to Edward J. ("Big Chief") O'Leary, who testified in the trial of Mayor Bell, charged with election conspiracy.

## THE MARKETS

Portland.  
Wheat—Club, 84c; bluestem, 83c; red Russian, 81c; forty-fold, 80c; red five, 82c.  
Hay—Eastern Oregon timothy, \$18; alfalfa, \$12.50.  
Butter—Creamery, 39c.  
Eggs—Ranch, 30c.  
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 33c; valley, 32c.  
Mohair—30c.

## Seattle

Wheat—Bluestem, 81c; club, 80c; red Russian, 80c; forty-fold, 81c; red five, 81c.  
Barley—\$14 per ton.  
Hay—Timothy, \$16 per ton; alfalfa, \$14 per ton.  
Butter—Creamery, 39c.  
Eggs—30c.

A statement from the U. S. Conference which was held at Washington, Oct. 29, 1915, is published on page 10.

## PENITENTIARY HEAD KILLED BY CONVICT

Warden Minto Shot Dead, City  
Marshal Fatally Wounded  
By Desperado.

Salem, Or.—Warden Harry P. Minto was killed by Otto Hooker, a runaway convict at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night a few miles north of Albany, on the railroad track, when the officer and Guard Walter Johnson of the state penitentiary, were on their way north to head off the man, who had previously fatally wounded City Marshal Benson at Jefferson. Sheriff Bodine and Police Officer Rodgers accompanied the prison warden north in search for the man and the two Albany officers had but left Minto a few minutes before, taking a different tack, when Minto and Johnson, who were in a brushy pasture near the railroad saw Hooker walking down the track. Minto stepped out of the brush with a leveled shotgun and said: "You halt." Hooker raised his revolver and the two fired simultaneously, Minto falling with a bullet in his head and Hooker escaping in the dark amid a hail of bullets from Johnson's revolver.

Hooker escaped from a field near the penitentiary Monday afternoon, after working quietly for some days with a force of other convicts. Early Monday night he entered Jefferson, where Marshal Benson covered him with a revolver and ordered him to surrender. Hooker apparently complied but when the officer was off his guard the convict grasped Benson, wrenched the revolver away from him and shot him in the neck, the bullet ranging downward.

Albany, Or.—Otto Hooker, murderer of Warden Harry Minto, of the state penitentiary at Salem, was shot by Patrolman A. J. Long of Portland, at 11:30 Tuesday night. Hooker died at 12:05 a. m. Long fired a shot at Hooker from a Krag-Joergensen rifle, when the convict, who was lying face downward, rolled over in an effort to fire at the officers. The bullet entered Hooker's breast and came out through the shoulder. Hooker was found hiding under a house and was dragged out.

## HALF BILLION DOLLAR LOAN IS ANNOUNCED

New York.—The Anglo-French financial commission announced that the proposed credit loan to Great Britain and France would be \$500,000,000 and would be issued on joint Anglo-French five-year 5 per cent bonds, offered to the public at 98 and to the syndicate of underwriters at 96.

It is proposed to make the syndicate the largest of its kind ever seen in this country and to include in its membership banks, trust companies and individuals from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Because the bonds will be sold four points under their par value Great Britain and France will have placed to their credit here, not \$500,000,000, but \$480,000,000. In other words the two nations are paying \$20,000,000 for the privilege of buying American products at top of the market prices.

## FIFTY DEAD AT ARDMORE

Property Damage of \$1,000,000 Result of Gasoline Explosion.

Ardmore, Okla.—A spark from a workman's hammer ignited a tank of gasoline here, and fifty persons were believed to have been crushed to death under falling walls or burned to death while pinned in the debris.

The property damage was estimated at \$500,000. A score of fires caused by the flaming gasoline, which was thrown for blocks when the car exploded with a terrific detonation, were got under control.

There are at least 300 injured, some of these probably fatally. Of the 45 known to be dead, 21 were negroes and one was an Indian. Two negroes are missing. The others are all white.

It is supposed that a spark from a hammer of one of the workmen re-ignited the gasoline.

## JAMES ARCHIBALD



J. F. J. Archibald, American correspondent, caught by the British with letters which caused recall of Ambassador Dumba.

## CURB ON TIPPLERS WHO SMOKE IS AIM

Portland.—If the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has its way, no person who uses tobacco in any form will be permitted to receive shipments of liquor in Oregon after the prohibition law goes into effect next January 1.

Mrs. Mattie M. Sleeth, state lecturer for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, told an audience in the Central Methodist Episcopal church Sunday of "a perfectly lovely scheme" the union has in view for depriving tobacco users of their drams.

The process of eliminating them from the privileged ones who under the law can ship in 24 quarts of beer or two quarts of spirituous liquor a month, is to be quite simple, as Mrs. Sleeth outlined it.

In the affidavit for all liquor consignees to sign they must swear among other things that they are "not addicted to the use of narcotic drugs."

The plan of the union is to have tobacco users declared addicts to the use of narcotic drugs.

## SHORT NEWS NUGGETS

Mrs. Russell Sage celebrated her 87th birthday by sending checks aggregating \$60,000 to various Syracuse, N. Y., institutions.

Aliens residing temporarily in the United States will come under the income tax law, according to recent ruling given out at Washington.

Atlanta, Ga., was selected as the 1916 meeting-place of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows at the closing session of the sovereign grand lodge in San Francisco.

Mrs. Wallace R. Stauffer of New Orleans, granddaughter of President Zachary Taylor, has presented to President Wilson, for the White house collection, several heirlooms belonging to her grandfather.

Upon their written assurance that they did not drink a toast to the Kaiser, as had been charged, Captain Waldron and Lieutenant Garlner, of Fort Stevens, Or., were exonerated. General Hugh Scott, chief of staff, said he accepted their explanation.

"Let the states tax the products of government lands that are developed by private parties under government leases," is the answer made by Secretary Lane, of the interior department, to the western protest against the contemplated government leasing system.

## Sofia Denies Aggression

London.—The Bulgarian government officially communicated to the powers a note declaring, in the most categorical fashion, that the mobilization of the Bulgarian army was ordered in the national interest and had not the slightest offensive character.

American Consulate at Stuttgart Hit.  
Washington.—The American consulate at Stuttgart was hit by a bomb in the result of a German air raid.