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THREE BIG RUSSIAN ARMIES ON WAY TO GERMAN CAPITAL

Storm and Extreme Cold Cause Intense Suffering Among Kaiser's Troops

WOLVES FEED ON DEAD AND KILL WOUNDED

Germans Burn Villages As They Retreat--Villagers Suffer Greatly

Petrograd, Nov. 7.—Russia was celebrating today what was acclaimed as "the greatest victory of the war."

Official statements, in telling of the recapture of the Slavs advance on Berlin, announced that three armies were on the move. In the North, General Rennenkampf was said to be well across the East Prussia frontier, with Königsberg as his first objective.

In the past week 15,000 prisoners were reported to have been taken by the Russians, including several high officers. Quantities of munitions and many cannon were also said to have been captured.

Russians Well Prepared. The Russians were declared to be well prepared for the present severe weather, while it was asserted that the Germans were thinly clad and suffering fearfully.

The Germans, it was stated, were burning the villages through which they passed in retreat, so that the non-combatant population was enduring awful hardships, to which many were succumbing.

Germans Dony Stories. Berlin, via The Hague, Nov. 7.—A warm denial of French, British, Belgian and Russian claims of important victories over the Germans in both the eastern and western theatres of war was issued today by the war office here.

In Belgium and France, it was asserted, fighting continued along a practically unchanged front, and such changes as had actually occurred were declared to have been the result of gains the Germans were gradually making.

Vienna messages were quoted to the effect that Austria was still on the offensive against the Russians; that there were places where advanced lines had been withdrawn to avoid enveloping movements, but that there had been no such thing as a general retreat.

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WOMAN LEGISLATOR

Portland, Or., Nov. 7.—The distinction of being the first woman ever to be elected to a seat in the Oregon legislature today belongs to Miss Marian Towne, of Talent, Jackson county.

The next state legislature will be overwhelmingly republican. There will probably be 28 republicans and two democrats in the senate, and 57 republicans, two democrats and one independent in the house.

SWIPED THE SHIPS.

Athens, Nov. 7.—A dispatch received here today from Smyrna said the Turks had confiscated all British, French and Russian ships at that port.

ENDED ARGUMENT WITH A HATCHET

John Schultz Attacks George Brown, Beats Him Badly and Is Arrested

A charge of assault with a dangerous weapon was lodged against John Schultz, of Champoug, in the justice court today, for his part in an attack with a hatchet made upon George Brown, a farmer of Newberg, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

With the prisoner was brought the bloodstained hatchet and some clothing that bore marks of the conflict. It is said that Schultz, who is about 30 years old, was formerly employed by Brown on the latter's farm.

Brown succeeded in attracting the attention of some neighbors and Dr. Littlefield of Newberg was called to attend to him.

Men Were at Out. The prisoner was brought to Littlefield of Newberg was called to attend to him.

CARRANZA WILL OBEY CONVENTION

Intimates He Will Resign If Villa Is Also Retired-- Situation Hopeful

Washington, Nov. 7.—Provisional President Carranza will not defy the Aguas Calientes peace convention but will resign as requested and go to Vera Cruz, state department dispatches received today indicated.

Agents of the state department probably will be asked to negotiate with General Eulalio Gutierrez, governor of the state of San Luis Potosi, recently named provisional president by Aguas Calientes convention.

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ALARMING SPREAD OF CATTLE DISEASE STARTLES THE EAST

Disease May Be Communicated to Human Beings Through Dairy Foods

THOUSANDS AT WORK DISINFECTING YARDS

Chicago Meat Prices Not Advanced But Are Jumping at Other Places

Chicago, Nov. 7.—The Chicago Medical society warned milk users today in ten quarantined states to boil all milk.

"The unprecedented spread of the foot and mouth disease," said the society's warning, "impels the use of every precaution in the use of milk. We have resolved to warn all users to boil milk, even though its food value is lost thereby, until a danger of the disease has been stamped out."

Health Commissioner Young said the disease may be communicated to human beings through the use of butter, cheese and milk of infected cows.

More than a thousand men were fumigating the stockyards here today and 21 compressed air machines were being used to spray creosote on compound fences, gates, food troughs, pavements and alleys.

EAST SALEM WINS BY CLOSE MARGIN

In the hardest fought game thus far in the Grade School Foot Ball League, this morning on High School Ground, East won from Richmond by 13 to 12.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Position. Includes Richmond (L. C. Kuffner, R. J. Lebold, etc.) and East (L. C. Kuffner, R. J. Lebold, etc.).

SEVERAL HUNDRED MEXICANS KILLED

Washington, Nov. 7.—United States Consul Canada wired the state department from Vera Cruz this afternoon that several hundred soldiers of the Carranza garrison at Tehuacan, in the state of Puebla, Mexico, were killed in a battle with a force led by three former generals in the Mexican federal army.

ANOTHER ANDERSON.

Ontario, Cal., Nov. 7.—Freddie Anderson, brother of Bud Anderson, the Oregon pugilist, captured the 50-mile open automobile race here today against a large field.

STOCKYARDS BURN.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.—Fifteen acres of Kansas City stockyards were burned last night. The damage was estimated today at \$100,000. The yards will be rebuilt at once.

HOP GROWERS WILL FORM ORGANIZATION THREE STATES IN IT

Agree on This at Today's Meeting But Details Are Not Yet Worked Out

DELEGATES TO MEET PROBABLY IN SALEM

Growers From All Sections Here and Are Unanimous For Uniting

Over 100 hop growers in attendance at this morning's meeting unanimously voted to form a permanent organization and elected temporary chairman L. H. McMahon and temporary secretary Fred N. Stump as permanent president and secretary, respectively.

Not in spite of the fact, but rather because of the fact that the state of Oregon was voted "dry" at Tuesday's election the hopgrowers of Oregon see all the more reason why they should organize for the purpose of preserving and safeguarding the future interests of the industry on the coast side, at a meeting which was called at 10 o'clock this morning and is still in session at the time of going to press this afternoon.

There were 75 growers in attendance at the morning session, which was devoted mostly to a general discussion of the reasons and purposes of the organization, and the afternoon's attendance was greatly augmented by the arrival of delegations from Lane and Polk counties.

While it has been definitely decided that the growers proceed to perfect a permanent organization of the Oregon Hopgrowers' association, to affiliate with similar associations of Washington and California in the forming of the Pacific Coast Hopgrowers' association, the details of the plan of organization have not been worked out as yet but will probably be decided upon at today's meeting.

THE MOVEMENT ELSEWHERE

San Francisco, Nov. 6, 1914. Capital Journal, Salem: California hopgrowers are completing organization. The Sacramento growers met Monday 7 (today). The Sacramento valley growers will meet next Thursday. Growers are inclined to sell their hops at the prevailing prices. They are awaiting the completion of the Oregon association. Washington growers are enthusiastic and are working hard.

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Protected by their bomb proofs, the Franco-British troops were declared, however, to be holding their own.

Strong forces of Tenthredine reserves were reported in readiness for a rush the moment the artillery began to make an impression.

BREWERIES WILL ALL MOVE TO CALIFORNIA

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—As a result of the dry election, it was said the Seattle, Tacoma and Georgetown, Wash., brewing and malting companies and perhaps the Gambrians and Weinhardt brewing companies of Portland, would move to California.

According to dispatches from the north, the Seattle and Tacoma companies have already arrived at a definite decision. Representatives of the Portland concern are expected within a fortnight to look over the situation.

"I am advised by the Tacoma brewery," said George Alpers, its California representative, "that it will move to this state. Its investment will be about \$750,000."

C. F. Wagner, San Francisco agent of the Independent Brewing and Malting company of Georgetown, was also advised by wire that that establishment would be moved immediately.

Secretary Schmidt of the Gambrians company, Portland, was quoted in the San Francisco press as saying: "We are all as thunderstruck over the result of the election that we have given no thought to future plans except in a general way. I expect that a definite decision will be reached at the company's annual meeting in January."

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ARIZONA DRY BY 5,000.

Poenix, Ariz., Nov. 7.—Five thousand was the margin by which Arizona banished liquor from the state, according to estimates today based upon the incomplete count. All returns were expected to be in tonight.

The constitutional amendment to abolish capital punishment upon which the lives of 14 condemned murderers depend, remained in doubt. Opponents of the measure, however, were confined that it had been beaten.

NEW CHARTER WILL BE VOTED ON DEC. 2

Up to People to Say Whether They Want New Form of City Government

The people will have an opportunity to vote on the city manager-commission form of government when the new city charter is submitted to the voters at the election December 2, as the city council at a special meeting last night voted to receive the report of the joint committee. The committee consisted of Councilmen Southwick, Cummings and Macy and T. B. Kay, Dr. J. N. Smith and Max Gehlar from the original committee of 15, and City Attorney R. K. Page.

Both the city attorney and Councilman Macy spoke in favor of the new charter and counted it worthy of the consideration of the people.

Councilman Von Eschen, however, stated that he had not seen the revised instrument, and asked that it be read. Councilman Milton likewise wanted to hear the immortal words of the committee, which would require about four hours' solid reading. The other councilmen, however, decided they could forego the pleasure of hearing the document and were willing to let the people decide for themselves whether or not it was good for them.

Officers Declared Elected. When the vote was taken on the question, "Shall the proposed charter be submitted to the people at the December election?" the vote stood: Ayes—Councilmen Brown, Constable, Hatch, Hoover, Macy, Millett, Southwick, Spaulding and Von Eschen, who voted under the protest that he did not know what he was voting for. Nays—Jones, Milton, McClelland and McCraigen. The measure carried 9 to 4.

The results of the primary election were read and a proclamation from Mayor Stevens was read declaring the candidates who received the majorities to be elected. In the cases where there was no majority, for city treasurer and city marshal, the two candidates receiving the largest vote were declared to be nominees at the December election.

According to the statement of Recorder Elgin, the election boards were to be paid \$252 for work done. There were seven boards and each earned \$36, or \$9 for each judge and clerk. Some of the boards were on duty from 7:30 a. m. until 5 o'clock a. m. of the next day. Petitions for two are lights were referred to the committee on lights.

WOOD CONTRACTS AWARDED TODAY

In awarding the contracts for 2,500 cords of wood for the feeble minded institute for next year's supply, at \$3.75 to \$3.80 per cord for 1900 cords of second growth fir, and about \$3.00 per cord for 600 cords of big slabwood the state board of control has brought about a saving of \$375 to the state on the 2,500 cords of wood necessary for the institution as compared to the prices asked in the previous list of bids received and rejected. The awards were made last evening from the list of bids received as a result of the re-advertisement. The new bids were from 15 to 15 cents per cord lower than the former list of bids.

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Should they succeed, it was admitted they would isolate a large force of the allies and sever communications with the most convenient route between England and the continent.

French military experts said such a thing was an impossibility, however. The allies had anticipated such an attempt, they explained, and had so heavily reinforced the army the Kaiser would have to defeat in order to get to the sea that his defeat by any body of troops it would be practical for him to throw against it was unbelievable.

Official confirmation was given out to the story that British aviators had failed by only 20 minutes in an attempt to demolish German headquarters at Thiel while the Kaiser and his general staff were there.

Learning that his majesty planned a review of troops at Thiel, it was stated, the airman, flying very high, swooped above the chateau where the duke of Wurtemberg and his staff were staying and dropped several bombs which demolished the chateau, killed 20 civilians and two soldiers and wounded two minor staff officers.

The Kaiser, however, had just left in an armored automobile.

Reports from the front were to the effect that fighting continued without definite result in the Argonne region. The general situation was referred to as "excellent."

Many good judges of military matters expressed the opinion that it would not be long before the Germans would be compelled to begin withdrawing from France and northwestern Belgium.

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