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## **Bloodiest Battle In** History Being Fought

(Continued from Page One.)

shreds. At 5 p. m. we advanced. Our artillery had destroyed the wilderness of barbed wire in the woods. Conseof barbed wire in the woods. Consequently the infantry rushed in with but slight losses and by 8 o'clock the woods were firmly in our possession, and likewhere firmly in our possession and likewhere firmly in

Officials Must Consult Stockholders Before They Close Company's Books

The officers of the Bankers' and Merchants' Mutual Fire Relief associa-Merchanta Mutual Fire Roller associa-tion of Forest Grove do not have the authority to wind up the affairs of that company without the approval of the members of the association, according to an opinion rendered to Insurance Commissioner Harvey Wells by Attor-ney General Brown today.

It appears that an old line company

offered to issue new policies to the members of this association providing they would cancel the policies during the term of the insurance, and with this agreement the mutual company would receive a commission on the pre-iums paid by the members to this stock company and as an inducement to in-sure in this stock company the officers of the association proposed to return a bers as a return premium on their old policies. This offer the attorney gen-eral holds is a rebate and in violation of section 4669 of Lord's Oregon Laws.

It also appears that the total amount of liability in force January 1 was \$1, man positions in and around Dounument and Hardaumout. The Germans cleared the Meuse peninsula of the enemy.

'The Germans advanced further in the direction of Vacherauville and Bras (four miles north of Verdua) while in the Woevre, the foot of Cote Lorraine was reached.'

The "Meuse peninsula" refers to a

Only in force January 1 was \$1,400,000 and the uncarned premium on this amount of insurance was \$14,000. Their obligations to other members for fire claims amounted to \$8,000, making a total indebtedness of \$22,000 with the total assets not to exceed \$2,000. So the above proposal would amount to but very little to the members.

Commissioner Walls stated today that and Hardaumout, The Germans cleared the Meuse peninsula of the enemy.

that sector.

"The offensive gradually spread to Ornes and by following the same clockwork co-operation of artillery and infantry, the Germans took new positions, and howitzers spat death and destruction against these strong field fortifications. On the 22nd we took this position.

Cote De Talu Heights.

Say Attack Crumbling.

Paris, Feb. 28.—The great German offensive along the 25 mile front, north and northeast of the Verdum fortress is new crumbling in a series of local actions, according to dispattches today.

HINDOO WONDER AT THE GRAND then make an investigation to ascertain if they have complied with the law,

Prince of India in Montana by the law.

tion against these strong field fortifications. On the 22nd we took this position,

"The driving power, endurance and discipline of our troops were incomparable, while our losses, happily, were not very great."

Fighting Grows Weaker.

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, L. L., Feb. 28.—The Teuton drive against Verdun is spreading westward to the Champangne, and today's official statement. After heavy artillery preparation, the Germans rushed French positions in the Champangne on both sides of the Somme-Souain road, capturing the Navaria farm positions on both sides of the road and 1,600 yards of French trenches. The Germans continue to push foreward on the Verdun front, said the statement. Heavy French attempts to storm the Germans for English trenches.

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"North of Arras," said the statement, "there were uninterrupted mine operations. The Germans destroyed 40 yards of English trenches.

"The enemy exhausted himself in unsuccessful attempts to storm the Germans descriant in the two law in the law.

Unusual Peats Are Performed by Prince of India in Mystery.

Karni, the much-talked-of illusions in the left in india the real transposed of Strike. It is a delightful offering, with breezy comedy and good songs.

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A total of 21,180 voters were registered in this state when the books

# Paramount Pictures 1 Mary Pickford in THE FOUNDLING

51 High School Teams

Astoria, North Bend, Albany and

Two Unknown, in Next Round

Pairings for the second round, which

AURORA NEWS

once. The directors of the local telephone

The Knighs of Phythias entertained

The basket ball game between the Anrora High School and the Canby High School resulted in a score of 32 to 19 in favor of Aurora. Of Aurora's score Phillips shot 15, Kerr 9 and Will? Bradford of the Canby team shot 12, and was their star player. The line up was as follows: Aurora

\$15. The land used for a road across the place of Ella Coyle was donnted

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MAY SELL SOME BONDS

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 28. — The Union Oil company of Cali-fornia was permitted by Cor-poration Commissioner Carnahan today to sell \$4,000,000 worth of its bonds This is part of a \$70,000,000 bond issue of 1911 of which \$11,990,000 was heretofore sold. The money is to be used to pay outstanding debts and develop oil property. They are five per cent bends maturing in 1931.

Total of 61,180 Voters Registered February 19

# MOVIES RESPONSIBLE FOR DOCTOR'S DEATH

Santa Monien, Cal., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Raymond, Toft, aged 28, of New West-minster and Vancouver, is near death at St. Catherines hospital today from meumonia and acute hysteria, brought

pneumonia and acute hysteria, brought on by a narrow escape from drowning in the surf at Venice yesterday.

Her brother, Dr. Hankon B. Christensen, aged 40, of New Westminster, B. C., was drowned saving her. A big crowd watched the fragedy from the heach, believing it a motion picture scene. Christensen fought for life for 30 minutes in older delta of the same closed February 19 according to the re-ports sent in by the so eral county 30 min elerks to the secretary of state. Of tators. 30 minutes, in plain sight of the spec

this number 49,590 are Republicans while 15,457 namit Democratic tendensies, 403 are Progressives, 1337 are Prohibitionists, 1529 are Socialists, and 1864 registered as misc-llareous.

Mrs. Teft was seized with cramps while swimming in the breakers, and screamed for help. When Christenses reached her side, she clutched him. Both sank. After a hard fight, Lifeguard Fred Townsend brought the woman

ushere.

Christensen, exhausted, was carried rapidly backward by the strong tide. He could be seen swimming desperately at intervals, then floating face down-Will Soon Be Down to 2 Nyssa, Enterprise, Condon, Princylle, human chain and tried to aid him Chris tensen began swimming again, but be forc he reached the rescuers he weaken ed and was swept backward, far out of University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore., reach

Chiversity of Oregon, Engene, Ore., Feb. 28.—The second eliminating round a the annual debate series that this tensen only 30 yards from shore, but unsers and 51 Oregon high schools as parsicipants will be held March 4, or if ontestants mutually desire, on March 1. Winners in the first round have seen as follows: been as follows:

Southeastern Oregon district, Nyssa;
eastern Oregon district, Enterprise;
Umatilla district, Condou; upper Columbia, Prineville; lower Columbia,
Astoria; southern Willamette, Albany;
Coos Bny, North Bend.

The northern Willamette district champiouship lies among Estacada, Jefferson and Woodburn, and the southern Oregon between Klamath Falls and Medford.

Pairings for the research

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will settle the inter-district champion-chips, will be: HARRY-Windoweleaner. Phone 768

Enterprise vs. Nyssa, at Enterprise, Condon vs. Prineville, at Condon. North Bend vs. Astoria, at North FOR RENT-Furnished rooms,

Hend,
Albany vs. champion in northern
Willamette district, the winner to meet,
the champion of southern Oregon.
Thereafter, and before April 1, the
Nyssa Enterprise winner is to meet the
Condon-Prineville winner, and the winner in the round among northern Wil-FOR SALE\_Two fresh cows, Feb28 FOR SALE-Male china pheasant, 1120

Center.

FOR RENT — Housekeeping rooms. Phone 2093M. tf

ser in the round among northern Wil-amette, southern Willamette and south-ern Oregon is to meet the North Bend-DRESS MARING-Mrs. Carrie Rod-gers, 242 S. 19th. Mar10

EARLY potatoes for sale, 257

Astoria winner.
Only two teams of the original 51 will then remain. They will debate for the state high school championship and for the University of Oregon cup about the end of May, at the state university. The university pays the expenses of HORSE wanted. About 1250 or 1300 to work single. Cor. S. Com'l and Jef-ferson Road. Mar. I.

BALED hay for sale, Good covered hack for trade for stock. Box 5, Turner, Oregon. Feb. 28.

Work of evacation has begun on the residence of Dr. Martin Greav. The contractors, Mosaberger & Libby, expect to complete the work in about HOUSKEEPING ROOMS-For rent ne suite upstaira and one downstairs 482 S. High St., Phone 1125. Mar. I

LOST-Between Opera House and O. E

two months.

Ralph Zimmerman was here from Astoria Sunday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Zimmerman. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman and family were also from Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zimmering were in Aurora Friday. Mrs. Zimmering has been ill from an attack of La Grip and this was her first trip to town in several weeks.

In constructing a family tree Mrs. Depot, pair glasses. Return to this office. Reward. Feb. 28. WANTED-17 more sales people, Apply at side door entrance. Ask for E. G. Seaman, Chicago Store.

ARRANGE special spring business now. Paone Dr. Morehouse, office 2190, nights 1510.

In constructing a family tree, Mrs. C. S. Arnold has exertained that Betsy Ross, the maker of the first American flag, was the sister of Mes. Arnold's great-great grandfather, Annong the Bebekahs in town Saturday to attend Lodge were Mrs. F. M. Ernest of Donald, Mrs. A. B. Dentel of Eeist Butteville, and Mrs. Wm. Heinz and Mrs. C. W. Damm of Macksburg.

Bow. Paone Dr. Morchouse, office POR SALE—Cream separator, Improved Economy, guaranteed in good condition. Phone 34F11. Feb28

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EVANCE TOWN SALE—2 horses, 1 double harness, 1 delivery wagon, loquire F. P. Harlen, Mrs. C. W. Damm of Mrs. Wm. Heinz and Mrs. C. W. Damm of Well, etc. Inquire 946 S. 12th St. Feb. 25.

FOR RENT-Buildings and about 26 acros of grass land on Crowe place. Those 127 or 1166, Russell Catlin. Trustee.

Macksburg,

The Aurora Mutual Telephone wire petretched across the river at Wilson-ville was torn down by the spars of passing stemmer, owing to a 20 foot rise in the river. It was two days before the wire could be replaced.

The contract for the new municipal tie shed has been let to tae King Brotogrs as the flowest bidders for farmishing the labor. Their bid was \$70. Two other bids were put in as follows: A. B. Grim, \$90, Gen. Askin, \$90. The work will begin at once, Trustee. TWO year old trees, Pear, Aple, Cherry, Chestaut, Grape and Holly. Also two fress cows. Roy V. Ohmart.

WANTED— By experienced farmer with wife and one child a job on a farm near Salem. Give wages and description of farm. C. A. Co. And description of farm. scription of farm. C. A. Co. dournal.

The directors of the local telephone company met Saturday. The board organized and the same set of officers were re-elected for the current year. The board of directors consisting of John Murray, A. D. Yergen, H. I., Colvin, Geo. Gooding, Jos. Erishand, Win. Bruns and N. C. Westert. FOR RENT-A 12 acre ranch all kinds of fruit, 6 acres of 7 year old prunes. A good house, barn and well. Cheap if taken soon. Adress Box 61, R.C.

STRAWBERRY plants wanted. Improved Oregons, Marshalls and Gold Deliars. I want good plants and not loo expensive. Fred Brentane., St. osis, plant top grafted cherry trees. We have a few left. Harry E. White.

The Kinghs of Phythias entertained is large number of their friends Saturitay night at their Costle half where eards, onsice and dancing on gaged free attention of the guests limit a late hour. The gathering was in the nature of an observance of the 52nd anniversary of the founding of the order of the Knights of Phythias. The knights and their ladies and gaests enjoyed the occasion to the fullest. Paul, Oregon. BUSINESS wemen to sell muslin un

introduce best Cathelle proposition on the market. Big money can be made by hustlers. Bensiger Brothers, 35-38 Harclay St., New York City. 3 Mondays, Feb. 28.

POR SALE—122 1-2 neres 9 miles from Salem. Good gravel road. 1 1-2 miles from station on S. P. Main Line. Excellent soil. Price \$65.00 per nore. Square Deal Realty Co., 202 U. S. Bank Bidg. 1f. 202 U. S. Bank Bidg. 2f. 262 U. S. Bank Bidg. 2f. 2f. 262 U. S. Bank Bidg. 2f

team shot 12, and was their star player. The line up was no follows: Aurora — Will and Phillips, Torwards, Kerr center, and Marsia and Beck guards. Canby-Schmbel and Bradford, forwards Smith enter, and Scafon and Colvin guards.

The famous road case brought up on petition of George Knight and others for a road across the Hovesden place at Hubbard has been finally settled by compromise. George B. Hovenden objected to the road and sought damages in the sum of \$10,000. The amounts set fourth in the order to be paid to the property owners for damages are: George B. Hovenden and wife, \$125, George J. Wofer and wife \$15. The land used for a road across the land across FOR SALE—Sanitary couch and mut; I heating stove, reching chairs, single barrel shot gun, bicycle, A-1 carpen-ter work bench, library table, square

dining table, 2 sectional knockdown theasant pens, 10 by 12 each, and wringer, 245 D. St. Peb. 29.

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WANTED-By young man, work on farm or dairy. Phone 11F3, Feb28

tf FOR HENT-Furnished and unfurnished modern house, G. W. Johnson, tf OAK, ash, fir and maple cord wood. Phone1322-J. W. F. Proctor, Mar10

Mar. 4. FOR SALE—Choice Jersey heifer, 3 Phone years old, fresh. Phone 87F24. Feb28 FOR SALE—Two speed Indian, equip-ped, \$100.00. Call Fire Dept., 149. Feb29

FOR RENT-Three or four room mod-ern furnished apartment. 325 S 14th

FOR SALE—Choice cating potatoes, not frosted, 90c per bushel. Phone 2495M. Feb29

WANTED-To rent 7 or 8 room house reasonably close in. Address N. E. G., care Journal. FOR SALE-15 acres bottom land, south of Marion. Mrs. E. Thomas,

Marion, Oregon. WANTED-To trade Italian prune trees for wood. Mill Creek Nursery. 2480 State streef. Feb2S

FOR SALE-1916 Six cylinder Bulck automobile A-1 condition. Price right. Phone 2346W. Mar4

EXPERIENCED CHAUFFEUR-Colored, wants employment of any kind. 30, care Journal.

WILSON-Strawberry plants, large va-ricty, for sale, \$1.25 per thousand, R, 9, B. C. Zielinski, Feb29

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GOAT AND SHEEP SHEARING-BY up to date power equipment. List your order at Salem Fuel Yards. Phone

Feb. 28. Will. BUY CITY—Or country property that will pay good interest on the investment. Address Journal, Box

EXCHANGE—Will sell good Harley motorcycle cheap, or trade for horse and buggy. Apply at Capital Journ-al office.

osis, plant top grafted cherry trees. We have a few left. Harry E. White.

Phone 14F15. derwear on commission. One ag-custom to handling trade preferred. Overland, good running order, for Apply at Ladies' Outfitting Shop, 185 N. Liberty. Feb. 28. Phone 2135J. Feb28

SOLICITORS WANTED. Catholic, to FOR SALE-Established business, sulfable for lady with small capital. No experience necessary. Address No. 75 care Journal. Mart

FOR RENT-Store, 21x165 feet, electric lights and steam heat. See Watt Shipp Co., 219 North Commercial street. Phone 363.

WILL TRADE-5 passenger automobile, Overland, good running order, for equity in city or country property.
Address Journal, Box 1. Feb28

FOR SALE-At a bargain, a 6 horse Patrbanks Morse gasoline engine, Can be seen running at 1475 N, 4th. Phone 2017J. Arthur Tucker. Feb28

free seil, well drained, under cultiva-tion, modern bungalow, one mile north of fairground, paved road, R. 9, Box 5, Salem, Oregon. Mar2

