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NERVOUS ACTIVITY OF PRUSSIAN LEADERS GREASES FAULT

This Prevents Them Halting They Must Be Killing If Only Germans

By J. W. T. Mason
(United Press' War Expert)
New York, April 23.—Every engagement between German and American forces that results in no more than an even distribution of casualties is a defeat for Germany, because of the already depleted condition of German man power.

The casualty results alone, therefore, of the fight at Seicheprey would mean a German defeat even if the Germans had retained permanent possession of a sector of the American front. The highest strategy confronting General Pershing is the strategy of killing Ger-

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Born, September 1, 1877.
Son of the late Capt. A. M. Simpson, pioneer shipping and lumberman.
Educated at Mt. Tamalpais Academy and University of California.
Worked as a laborer in 1889, at \$1.50 per day, in the ship yards on Coos Bay, Ore.
Rose from the ranks to executive head of a large lumber and shipping industry, employing many thousands of men.
Started the town of North Bend, 1901.
Fostered community progress, founded and developed many enterprises.
Mayor of North Bend, 1902-1914.
Patriotic work in connection with Liberty Loan, Red Cross and War Stamp activities, for the last twelve months.
His executive ability, his business experience, and his constructive policies, DO make him:

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SOCIETY

By Carol S. Dibble

A number of box parties have been arranged for the opening performance of the Cherrian Minstrel show to be given tonight at the Grand Opera house. Among those making up a party for the occasion are Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Bishop, Mrs. C. D. Gabrielson and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts.

Forming another party will be Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Thielson, Mrs. Ada S. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Simpson. Also occupying a box will be Governor and Mrs. James Withycombe and Mr. and Mrs. John Withycombe of Labish Meadows. Mr. and Mrs. Asabel Bush are among those planning to entertain a group of friends in this manner. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kay have likewise bidden a coterie of friends to share their box with them. Another party will comprise Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steussloff and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Fry. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Livesley will also occupy a box.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Livesley returned last night from a delightful two weeks' sojourn in California. They spent the greater part of the time in San Francisco, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Guy Sargent, recently of Salem.

A letter received this morning by Governor and Mrs. James Withycombe from their daughter, Miss Mabel Withycombe at Washington, D. C., contains the good news that their son, Earl, is showing slow but steady improvement, after his long critical illness. Miss Withycombe, who went east to be with her brother in the hospital, writes that the doctors state it will only be a matter of weeks, according to present hopeful indications, before her brother will have sufficient strength to make the return trip to Oregon. His sister will accompany him home.

Mrs. Katherine Glenn Kerry, who charmed a most appreciative audience with her lovely songs, when she sang at the benefit concert held at the Methodist church last night, was given an informal reception, by Mrs. Frank Wilbur Chance at the Chance residence on the Willamette campus later in the evening. Bidden to meet Mrs. Kerry were the faculty members of the university, the music students, the Red Cross executive board and a few additional friends.

Mrs. Kerry was the house guest of Mrs. B. E. Carrier during her stay in Salem. She returned to Portland this morning.

Mrs. F. L. Purvine and daughter, Miss Lora Purvine returned last night from an enjoyable week end trip to Portland.

A silver tea will be given by the Woman's auxiliary of St. Paul's church Thursday afternoon from three to five, at the residence of Mrs. U. G. Shipley, 245 North Th Street. The affair will also be in the nature of a reception to the new members of St. Paul's and all those interested in the church. The committee in charge of the tea includes Mrs. Joseph Baumgartner, Mrs. Robert Gill, Mrs. Russell Catlin, Mrs. Edward Weller, Mrs. W. B. Gilson, Mrs. E. H. Choate, Mrs. James Walton.

The twelfth birthday of Miss Clemencia Saunders was happily celebrated Saturday afternoon at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Amos Vass, 1653 South Commercial street. A red, white and blue color scheme was prettily carried out in the dining room, with a profusion of gay spring flowers. Brightly colored lights shed a deep glow over the table centered with the regulation twinkling birthday cake. The afternoon was joyously whiled away with music and games.

The juvenile guests were: Helen Pollock, Alberta Bohmstedt, Helen Arpke, Anna McIntyre, Irma Weeks, Helen Waleher, Roberts Hanson, Loretta Varley, Marie Arnold, Odell Matthew, Ella Pletz, Gladys Dennison, Doris Nye.

Bidden later in the afternoon to share in the birthday festivities were: Mr. and Mrs. B. Lyons, Mrs. Fred McIntyre, Mrs. Lillian Sauder and Miss Marguerite Ryan.

A group of Willamette girls were merry hostesses last night at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Steeves on North Church street, when they entertained a number of university boys at a Potlatch dinner. Later in the evening, further diversion was extended the guests by their charming hostesses, when the latter sponsored a jolly line party at one of the theaters.

The gathering comprised: Miss Charlotte Croshaw, Miss Anna Packingham, Miss Mildred Garrett, Miss Evadne McCully, Miss Fay Penning, Miss Muriel Steeves, Miss Hortense Herold, Leslie Day, Robin Fisher, Paul Day, Raymond Bary, Paul Flegel, Russell Bary, Lester Statta.

Mrs. E. T. Barnes is still seriously ill at her home, 325 North Capital street, but was reported as resting much easier last night after a severe day yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Moyer and small daughter, Elva, went to Portland yesterday, where they will spend the week visiting friends.

Miss Dorothy Chambers, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Chambers, has returned from Corvallis, where she was a week end guest at the Alpha Chi Omega sorority house.

head and Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker. Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Gleason, who are leaving Salem shortly, to make their home at Fairview on the Columbia highway, were the recipients of delightful social attention from their friends Thursday evening, when a number of the latter surprised them at their home on Hines street. Four tables of five hundred were circled by the guests, the high score falling to Mrs. E. P. Walton and Mr. Donaldson.

The merry makers numbered: Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tio, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. John Shipp, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo White, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, Miss Ethel Liston, W. Liston, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolta.

Mrs. Carrie M. Chase, president of the Englewood U. B. Aid society, will be hostess at the regular meeting to-morrow afternoon at her home, 1107 North 17th street. An important business session will take place and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliott, who have been spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Carl Burton Webb have gone to Portland for a few month's visit.

AMERICAN LOSSES

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were scared at first, but I saw them watching me. Soon they were fighting like veterans. We stuck until we were all wounded.

Pershing's Estimate.
Washington, April 23.—Bloodier and more desperately fought than any battle in the war with Spain, was the clash between American and German troops at Seicheprey in the Toul region of France.

Granting the possibility of heavy losses to the defending force, American officers here declared today the battle was a real test of our man's fighting ability.

The unanimous verdict is that they stood the test well. Pershing's men stationed in that sector of the line occupied positions difficult to defend against such a concentrated attack as was launched by the Germans.

The Germans had the advantage in observation and concealment. With the forces they used, officers here say that the Bavarians should have been able to take and hold the sector attacked. They failed to hold because the American boys refused to give way.

The war department has refused to give out officially the Pershing cablegram estimating the German losses at around 500 and the American casualties as heavy, though not exceeding the Toul numbers.

Pershing is known to have under consideration the issuance of a daily official communique to forestall the publication of wild rumors based on German official claims. The Seicheprey raid led to extreme stories of both defeat and victory. The truth was that the Germans made a considerable advance and inflicted considerable losses, but were driven out of possibly all they gained, while suffering heavy losses themselves.

TROOPS SPECIALLY TRAINED.

By Henry Dood.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
With the French Armies in the Field, April 23.—Storm troops who supported the German regiment attacking American forces Sunday morning were specially trained and rehearsed for this operation.

An official French note says French troops, during a raid in Lorraine the night of April 16, captured prisoners who said the Germans were preparing for an important attack.

At dawn Sunday, after a most intense bombardment, they attacked the Americans on a mile front. Additional details show Americans attacked jointly with the French and chased the Germans out of Remieres wood (half a mile north-east of Seicheprey), where they had established themselves by an attack on the French.

The Franco-American troops re-took all the ground lost, captured a number of prisoners and left the barbed wire entanglements filled with German dead.

The ground where the battle was fought is hilly. The Franco-Americans re-established their line on the hills supporting both Seicheprey and Remieres wood.

Son of Indian Chief.
Mather, Wis., April 23.—The wall of a pre-historic Winnebago funeral chant mingled with a blank volley and the lingering notes of taps today to wait for the "happy hunting grounds" the spirit of the first Wisconsin Indian to give his life for democracy "over there."

Mike Standing Water, aged 19, son of Chief Jim Standing Water, of the Winnebago, died in France of disease. The first telegram the chief ever received was that announcing the arrival of the son's body. Hundreds of tribesmen gathered for the funeral and Mather furnished the white man's military heroics.

MURDERING BELGIANS.
Amsterdam, April 23.—Twenty-four Belgians, tried last week on charges of espionage, were sentenced by the Germans, it was learned here today. Seven were executed within an hour after sentence had been passed.

Many other trials are proceeding. The Belgians who were executed died singing the Belgian national anthem.

Among them was the curate of Abbe Moon. A nun was among those sentenced.

HUNGARIANS RESTLESS

Zurich, April 23.—Two hundred thousand persons participated in a demonstration for electoral reforms at Budapest yesterday, it was learned here today. Five thousand marched to the Pal-

Club Workers Come to Visit Schools and Awaken Interest

Rural life week is now being given attention in all the country schools in the county and educators from the county superintendent's office and from Corvallis will give their time during the week to visiting the schools and noting with what spirit the teachers and pupils take up the idea of devoting part of their time each day to discussing subjects of local interest.

From the O. A. C. comes Miss Helen Gowgill and L. J. Allen, club workers who will visit the schools with Supervisor J. W. L. Smith. Mr. H. A. Barrows of the O. A. C. will accompany County Superintendent W. M. Smith in his visits. Lewis P. Harrington, field worker from the office of the state superintendent of public instruction will accompany Supervisor W. C. Hoppes.

Mrs. M. L. Fulkerson, secretary of the county educational board, and Miss Carmelia Marvin, state librarian will also devote part of their time this week inspecting the county schools and noting with what success the new idea of rural week is meeting.

HIS STRANGE EXPERIENCE

Alameda, Cal., April 22.—Marian Davies, aged 20, fainted when she saw her father drowning at an Alameda beach yesterday. She recovered consciousness today, and her father, Edward H. Davies, was standing at her bedside.

Hundreds of people dragged the bay late yesterday for Davies' body, not knowing that the fishing sloop Norma had picked him up. Edith Lundstrom, aged 20, whom Davies had tried to rescue was drowned.

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Says a glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast keeps illness away.

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Physicians the world over recommend the inside bath, claiming this is of vastly more importance than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing ill health, while the pores in the ten yards of a man's body.

Men and women are urged to drink each morning, before breakfast a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of helping to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Just as soap and hot water cleanse and freshen the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the eliminative organs.

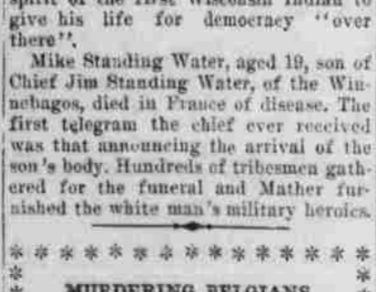
Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, nasty taste or have a dull, aching head, shallow complexion, acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation, should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pronounced results, both in regard to health and appearance.

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the shopper, the dancer, the foot traveler, the man in the office, the clerk in the store, the worker in the shop, have today, in this great discovery, "Gets-It," the one sure, quick relief from all corn and callus pains—the one sure, painless remover that makes corns come off as easily as you would peel a banana. It takes 2 seconds to apply "Gets-It"; it dries at once. Then walk with painless joy, even with tight shoes. You know your corn will loosen from your toe—peel it off with your fingers. Try it, corn sufferers, and you'll smile!

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NOT UNDERSTOOD

Not understood. We move along asunder, Our paths grow wider as the seasons creep

Along the years; we marvel and we wonder Why life is life, and then we fall asleep; Not understood.

Not understood. We gather false impressions And hug them closer as the years go by, Till virtues often seem to us transgressions, And thus men rise and fall, and live and die; Not understood.

Not understood. Poor souls with stunted vision Oft measure giants by their narrow gauge; The poison shafts of falsehood and decision Are oft impelled 'gainst these who mold the age; Not understood.

Not understood. The secret springs of action, Which lie beneath the surface and the show, Are disregarded; with self-satisfaction We judge our neighbors, and they often go, Not understood.

Not understood. How trifles often change us! The thoughtless sentence or a fancied slight Destroys long years of friendship and estranges, And on our souls there falls a freezing light; Not understood.

Not understood. How many breasts are aching For lack of sympathy. Ah, day by day How many cheerless, lonely hearts are breaking, How many noble spirits pass away! Not understood.

Oh, God! that men would see a little clearer, Or judge less harshly where they cannot see; Oh, God! that men would draw a little nearer To one another; they'd be nearer then, And understood.

The above poem was recited by Lieutenant Hector McQuarrie at the close of his lecture in the armory last Wednesday night.

See club shouting "abas Tissa!" Work and traffic was halted. Similar demonstrations were conducted in various towns Sunday.

Premier Von Seydler told the Polish leaders today that Galicia would be restored to Poland.

Free Methodists Make Annual Appointments

Portland, Ore., April 23.—At the session of the Free Methodist Church held during the past week appointments for their Oregon churches were made as follows:

Portland district—J. A. Happer, district elder.

Portland First Church—Alexander Beers, Adelaide Beers, supply.

Portland Central Church—W. N. Coffey.

Portland Second Church—S. H. Upton, Clara Upton, supply.

Portland Alberta Church—E. S. Harrington.

Newburg—Edwin W. Hight.

Gresham—S. G. Roper.

Hillsboro—W. R. Plumlee.

Hillsboro and Forest Grove—J. N. Wood.

Sunnyside and Damascus—W. W. La Rue.

Bethany—Willis M. Baker.

Salem district—F. S. Brunns, district elder.

Salem and Aumsville—W. J. Johnston.

Falls City—Edgar N. Long, Anna Long, supply.

Woodburn and Hubbard—A. S. Wright.

Albany and Lakeview—H. A. Walters.

Lacomb and Waterloo—Edith Groves, supply.

Poonia and Ingram Island—J. H. Brown, supply.

Yachats and Duck Creek—W. J. Bowman.

The Dallas district—F. L. Burns, district elder.

The Dallas Mission—E. D. Blackman, supply.

Mapin and White River—J. G. Hessler.

Madras—D. M. Higbee.

KILLED HIMSELF

Detroit, Mich., April 23.—After confessing that he burned the body of Augusta Steinbach, New York housemaid, after entering her from New York with a matrimonial ad, Helmut Schmidt, suspected head of a "murder plot" at Royal Oak, committed suicide in his prison cell here this afternoon.

Schmidt crawled under an iron bed, lifted it and dropped it on his head. His skull was crushed.

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