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At your own grocer's

GERMANS ARE FIGHTING

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guns, in a direct, frontal rush. The retreating boches were shot down as they scurried up the opposite bank.

Australians Advance

London, July 29.—Australian troops advanced on a two mile front between the Ancre and Somme rivers, capturing two lines of German trenches and taking 100 prisoners, Field Marshal Haig reported today.

The advance was made in the Morlancourt sector, astride the Bray-Corbic highway. Heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy, while the Australian casualties were light. A number of machine guns were captured.

North of Gavrelle (five miles north of Arras), Canadian troops made two successful raids.

"Australian troops carried out a successful local operation last night in the Morlancourt sector," the statement said.

"Two lines of hostile trenches, on a front of over two miles astride the Bray-Corbic road were attacked and captured,

together with over 100 prisoners and a number of machine guns.

"Heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy in this operation. Our own losses are reported to be light.

"Two successful raids were carried out last night by Canadian troops south and north of Gavrelle, a few prisoners being secured by us on each occasion.

"On the remainder of the British front there is nothing to report beyond artillery activity at certain points."

Gain of Three Miles

London, July 29.—(1:40 p. m.)—The French and Americans have advanced three miles on a twenty mile front since Sunday noon. It was learned from an authoritative source this afternoon. The allies now hold all of the Rheims-Dormans highway and the whole north bank of the Ourcq.

The German retreat continues from the lower end of the pocket but the enemy is resisting desperately in the Ardre valley, southwest of Rheims and at Buzzancy, south of Soissons. The Americans are engaged in heavy fighting in the latter region.

Do Not Get Careless

With Your Blood Supply

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This store will be closed all day Tuesday—the opening day of the Inter-county bridge.

SOCIETY

By MABEL GARRETT

The Red Cross auxiliary of the First Methodist church met in the old parsonage Thursday afternoon for a special meeting which proved to be a record one. Some of the women gathered as early as seven o'clock to help fill the "housewives" which was the work for the day. The superintendent was very much pleased with the amount and rapidity of work done, for by noon the kits, almost a hundred of them, were finished.

Friday the auxiliary will hold their regular meeting, beginning at nine thirty. The time will be spent in making Red Cross bags. As there are a large number to be made, it is hoped that many women will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman left today for a ten days vacation. They went to Newport from where they will start a walking tour with Marshfield as their destination. They will take camping apparatus and will live out in the open all of the time. They expect to make the trip in about eight days.

Mrs. Lalan Steeves of Portland spent the week end in Salem visiting Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Steeves, 316 North Church street.

Miss Freda Campbell, who is spending a month in Independence, is in town for a few days.

At their meeting last week the members of the Toletta club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Luella Wells of Shaw. Besides the nine members who were present there were several guests, who were Miss Ester Peterson of Gresham, Mrs. J. Wells and Miss Grace Wells and Mrs. Will Oglesby of Salem. After the program and victrola music were enjoyed, refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Benson Starr are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Goltra, 725 Court street. They are relatives of the Goltras from Pasadena, California.

Among those motoring to Seaside last week were Miss Arvilla Beckwith and Miss Lucile Shepherd of Portland.

Miss Alice Powell of Chicago left Saturday for her home. She has been visiting friends and relatives in Portland and Salem for several weeks. She is related to the T. G. Albert family.

Miss Nellie Caspere who has been teaching in one of the Portland schools, has returned home for the summer. For several years until this winter, she has been teaching a kindergarten class in Salem.

Some of the librarians are making plans to attend the Pacific Northwest Library association meeting which is scheduled to be held in Seattle sometime during the month of September according to an announcement by Miss Cornelia Marvin, the state librarian.

Three Towns Captured
Washington, July 29.—Capture of Seringes-E. Nesles, Sergy and Roche-rea by American forces was reported today by General Pershing.

The communique follows:
"July 28: North of the Marne our troops continue the pursuit of the enemy. In spite of his determined effort to delay their progress by rear guard action they have taken the towns of Seringes-Et-Nesles, Sergy and Roche-rea."

French Say No Change
Paris, July 29.—(Noon)—The French war office today reported "no change north of the Marne."

"North of the Marne there is no change," the communique said. "Four hundred prisoners were taken in yesterday's fighting north of the Marne."

America's War Work

Nearly Fourteen Billion

Washington, July 29.—America's war bill has reached \$13,935,877,000.

With expenditures during the first 27 days of July of \$1,339,096,000 and estimated expenditures for the whole month of \$1,488,400,000, this nation is now paying out approximately \$50,000,000 a day or over \$2,000,000 an hour.

While the July bill will run about \$24,000,000 under the June total, treasury officials indicate that the war developments have reached a stage where the cost to the United States will likely remain for some time around \$1,500,000,000 a month.

June, thus far has been the high water month of the war, \$1,512,000,000 having been expended during that month.

Some indication of the growth in expenditures may be seen in the fact that in April, 1917, when we entered the war the month's expenditure amounted to \$289,000,000, so today's compilation shows a steady increase to a point where they are now over five hundred per cent of the first months.

Mrs. Carleton Attends Spokane Y. W. C. A. Meet

As chairman of the local women's council of national defense, Mrs. E. F. Carleton was called as a delegate to a conference of Y. W. C. A. workers at Spokane during the past week. The conference was called by the national Y. W. C. A. leaders who have requested the women's council of national defense of each state to assist in the next Y. W. C. A. drive. There were present at the conference national representatives of the Y. W. C. A., state

GRIMES NOW ABLE TO STRAIGHTEN UP

Had Suffered Torture With Rheumatism For Ten Long Years

"I actually gained ten pounds on two bottles of Tanlac and it has fixed me up in splendid shape after everything else had failed to do me any good," said C. H. Grimes, a well known carpenter, of 164 Roy street, Seattle, Washington.

"For ten long years I suffered tortures from indigestion and rheumatism," he continued, "and during the past two years I became very much worse. Last summer I was in such bad shape that I was barely able to get around and just one month ago I felt so miserable that I was afraid I'd have to go to bed and stay there. My stomach was in such an awful fix that I could hardly take any nourishment at all. What little I did force down soured on my stomach and swelled me up so I could hardly breathe and I was so weak that I could hardly walk a block without giving out. My head ached like it would split, my kidneys gave me no end of trouble and I had such an awful pain in my back at times that I felt like I couldn't stand it. My right leg was lame from the knee down and I could scarcely use my right hand at all. My face was so drawn and sunken in that anybody could see that I was a mighty sick man."

"I reckon I took about every medicine there is in the market trying to get well, but I grew worse instead of better. I hoped against hope though, and when I heard so much about Tanlac I decided to try it next. As soon as I started on my first bottle I felt like it was beginning to straighten me out and soon I realized that at last I had found what I needed. Well, sir, my appetite has picked up so wonderfully that I am always the first at the table and the last to leave. My stomach is in fine condition, and I can eat anything I want without having a bit of trouble afterwards. My kidneys are working all right too and that awful pain in my back is clean gone. I haven't a twinge of rheumatism about me and I am taking on weight so fast that my face has filled out and I look like a different person. Tanlac has helped me so wonderfully that it is hard for me to tell how grateful I am for all it has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Hubbard by Hubbard Drug Co., in Mt. Angel by Ben Gooch, in Gervais by John Kelly, in Turner by H. P. Cornelius, in Woodburn by Lyman H. Shortey, in Salem by Dr. S. C. Stone, in Silverton by Geo. A. Steelhammer, in Gates by Mrs. J. P. McCurdy and in Stayton by C. A. Beauchamp. (Adv.)

officers of the Y. W. C. A. of the four north west states, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, and county chairmen of the women's council of national defense of these four states, about one hundred delegates in all.

Speaking of the conference, Mrs. Carleton says:

"Plans were there formulated for the Y. W. C. A. drive for war work which is to come at the same time as the next Y. M. C. A. drive.

"We are informed by the national Y. W. C. A. leaders that the government is squarely behind this drive, that the president has recognized the war work of the Y. W. C. A., and that he has said, 'The work that the Y. W. C. A. is doing can be done by no one else.'"

"Most business like was the campaign mapped out at Spokane. It was a pleasure to see the attention to detail which was exhibited by those in charge of the conference. The only social diversion indulged in was a luncheon given by Mrs. Corbin, the wife of one of the lumber magnates of the city who entertained the ladies at luncheon at her country home."

Water Company May Disregard Franchise

If it is necessary in order to enable the North Coast Power company to furnish its patrons in Hillsboro with adequate reasonable rates, the public service commission to disregard the provisions of his franchise and charge the city of Hillsboro for water furnished for municipal purposes, according to an opinion given by the attorney general to the commission.

In the franchise granted by Hillsboro to the company in 1912, provision was made that after five years the company should furnish the city with water for municipal purposes free of cost. The company says it needs more revenue and has applied to the commission for permission to impose a charge against the city, and the commission asked the attorney general for an opinion on the question.

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ANNUAL REVENUE OF NEAR TWO BILLION

War Revenues Of Eight Billions In Taxes Is Difficult Problem

Washington, July 27.—Tax payers of the United States must expect to provide something like "a couple of billion dollars in revenue annually," when peace comes. Based on the present estimated cost of the war, the treasury department officials today declared after-the-war government expenses would be more than double pre-war expenditures.

But the apparently gigantic task of raising \$2,000,000,000 each year besides the interests on loans made to our associates in the war is not regarded as insurmountable. When compared to the great financial problem faced by Germany, this government's expenses after the war will sink into insignificance.

The German public debt now exceeds \$30,000,000,000. With compared earning power, the Teutonic peoples must pay approximately \$5,000,000,000 in taxes each year after the war.

The German government had drained its people of gold, jewels and heirlooms and with all of that the imperial bank carried less than \$500,000,000 in gold stocks and made no special effort to get gold, yet it has now more than \$2,500,000,000 in gold coin and bullion.

Revenue for War

Washington, July 27.—Plans for raising \$8,000,000,000 revenue to help pay war expenses for 1918 were hitting stormy weather on the congressional sea today.

Members of the house ways and means committee freely admitted that after a week of intensive work the \$8,000,000,000 goal is not in sight, although they declared the bill would never leave committee until they could assure the country that it would raise that sum.

Advices from the treasury department were that Secretary McAdoo will also insist on the \$8,000,000,000 figure so as not to break up the proportion of sixty per cent of the war expenses by bonds and 40 per cent by taxes, which McAdoo has determined upon.

The treasury department suggestion submitted to the committee several weeks ago asked that six of the eight billion be raised from taxes on incomes, excess profits and inheritances, and the remainder from luxuries and miscellaneous taxes.

Tentative schedules of income profit and inheritance rates adopted by the committee to date will raise only \$4,500,000,000 under even the most rosy estimates.

These tentative schedules included: Raising the normal rates on individual incomes from four to ten per cent.

Taxing estates from 3 to 40 per cent, representing approximately a 50 per cent increase over present rates.

Taxing net income of corporations between 10 and 20 per cent on the investment, at a 30 per cent rate; between 20 and 25 per cent at a fifty per cent rate and above 75 per cent at an eighty per cent rate.

Committee members today predicted these rates would be revised upward before the bill is finished.

Numerous American Warships In Europe

London, July 29.—More than 250 American warships now have permanent bases in European waters, Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy announced during a speech at the American club today.

Roosevelt paid tribute to the British for their aid in transporting American troops.

Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, responded with enthusiastic reciprocation for American aid.

Launchings For Week

Total Fifteen Vessels
Washington, July 29.—Launchings from American shipyards during the week ending July 25 totaled 15 vessels, 72,458 tons.

Eight ships were completed during the same week, bringing the total number of completed ships since the shipping board was created to 250 of an aggregate capacity of more than 1,500,000 tons.

The week's launchings include a 4700 ton freighter by the National Shipbuilding company at its Texas yard, and a steel freighter of 7400 tons from the Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation yard at Sparrow's Point, Md.



A CHARMING AND ALLURING CHAPEAU—PROMENADERS DOWN THE AVENUE WILL NOT FAIL TO A wide brim of black tulle encircled catch sight of this velvet crown with with viscounted ostrich.