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SPANISH INFLUENZA CLAIMS VICTIMS

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oct. 20.—Deaths Saturday morning of Glen Walter, of Milton, Ore., aged 18 years, member of the S. A. T. C. and Robert Gerald Stewart of Medford, 21 years of age, of the Officers' Training Camp, made a total of five fatalities from pneumonia following attacks of influenza among students of the university within the last 33 hours.

Glen Walter, a sophomore, was the second member of the S. A. T. C. to die as a result of the epidemic. The first victim was Richard Shisler, of Harrisburg, a junior, who died at the St. Gamma Delta infirmary Friday night.

The O. T. C. men who have died are Robert Stuart, J. H. Sargent and Thomas R. Townsend.

Gen Walter was a member of Kappa Sigma and popular among the students of the university. The body was taken to Milton.

Robert Stuart was a member of the machine gun company of the Officers' Training Camp. He was born in Miles City, Mont. His condition was not considered serious until yesterday, when pneumonia developed. Funeral services will be held in Medford.

The body of Richard Shisler was taken

in Harrisburg this morning where a military funeral will be held. A military escort of the men of the battalion accompanied the body of J. H. Sargent to the train this morning.

Would Cancel Loans To Allied Nations

New York, Oct. 21.—International financiers were interested today in the suggestion of George W. Wickersham at a Y. M. C. A. meeting that the United States cancel all the obligations of the allies, France, England and Italy to this nation for the billions loaned these governments.

Wickersham is a corporation lawyer and was attorney general in the Taft administration.

"I would like to see America forgive our allies the debts that they owe us and send a receipted bill to Great Britain, France and Italy," said Wickersham.

"We can afford to do so, for we must remember all they have borne, what they suffered during the years before we entered this war."

SERIOUS CHARGE FILED AGAINST SOLDIERS HOME

Old Veteran Of Civil War Said To Have Been Badly Mistreated.

His body covered with sores and vermin, W. N. Hoover, an inmate of the Oregon Soldiers' home at Roseburg, finally collapsed while endeavoring to reach the dining room and not until then was he given the attention the old man should have received.

This is the report which comes from the home under the management of Commandant R. C. Markee. Hoover fought in the Civil War as a member of the 33d Wisconsin infantry. He came to the Oregon Soldiers' Home about two years ago. Thinly clad and in feeble condition.

Commandant Markee gave him a room on the third floor, making it necessary for him to climb the stairs going to and from his room. It is reported that no effort was made to learn the old soldier's condition, and he climbed up and down the stairs as long as his strength would permit and finally collapsed on the mess room floor as he was trying to go to dinner.

He was taken to the hospital by a waitress and there the nurse discovered the terrible condition of the man's body.

Secretary R. B. Goodin of the state board of control has just returned from Roseburg, where he verified a report that Commandant Markee has been selling to the old soldiers the matches provided by the state for them. He also has been selling them tobacco. He said he was using the money to buy postage stamps.

As the matches are state property provided for the home, he was told not to require the soldiers to buy them.

Even since Markee was appointed commandant at the home, which was soon after Governor Withycombe came into office, there has been more or less trouble. Because of trouble he was making, the state board took control of the hospital away from him and gave the physician in charge full control. The board also had to call him on the carpet when he could not get along with the architect who was supervising the construction of a new hospital building at the home.

One Hundred Americans In Lille-Ostend District

London, Oct. 21.—Of more than 100 Americans originally in the re-occupied Lille and Ostend district it is estimated today by investigators who have visited the district that about twenty have died during the last four years and a number have been deported to Germany and either interned or forced to work in munition factories, under conditions bordering on slavery.

The following Americans were found safe and well in the re-occupied region:

Floyd Harrison and daughters, Brooklyn, N. Y.
P. McNaughton and daughter, Moss, Washington, D. C.
Miss Sadie Gibson, Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Ulysses Bristow, and daughter, Fannie, Chicago.
Hiram Kraus and family, Baltimore.

Mrs. Frank Bath of 1789 Center street, who with her daughter, Miss Mabel Keene, has been spending the summer at Vancouver, Washington, made a short business trip to Salem recently, preparatory to leaving for Mulline, Idaho, to join her husband, who is connected with mining interests in that country. Her daughter will remain in Vancouver, where she will study of music in the local schools.

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P. S. Liden and daughters, Albuquerque, N. M.
Mrs. Haines and daughter, Alice, San Francisco.

Rev. Ezra J. Harper, Salt Lake City
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Mrs. Robert Lee and daughters, New York

Mrs. S. Sherman and daughters, Milwaukee, Wis.
F. Butler and family, New Orleans.

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Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oct. 21.—Albert Butts died here Thursday night at midnight. Dr. R. L. Roxtworth, physician in charge, pronounced the cause to be pneumonia, following Spanish influenza and is the first fatality in the college of the present epidemic. Mr. Butts came here to enter the S. A. T. C. but had not yet been inducted. His home was in Yankton, S. D.

SOCIETY

By CAROL S. DIEBLE.

Mrs. Earl Flegel (Barbara Steiner) will arrive home Wednesday morning from Palo Alto, California, Lieutenant Flegel having been ordered east with the other members of the eighth regiment, who have been stationed at Camp Fremont. The wedding of Lieutenant and Mrs. Flegel was an event of last June, following which the young couple went directly to Palo Alto, where they have made their home throughout the summer. Mrs. Flegel will be accompanied to Salem by Mrs. Norman Courtney (Emmeline Klein), whose husband has also been transferred east. It is expected that the men will leave shortly for France.

Mrs. Keith Powell (Alice Bingham) and small son arrived Sunday morning from Palo Alto, her husband having left in the same division.

The Merry-Go-Round club which was to have held its initial meeting of the season last week at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Spencer, has postponed opening activities until the influenza ban is lifted. The Merry-Go-Round club is one of the long established and select card clubs of the city and its members have sponsored a variety of delightful assemblies from year to year. The annual election of officers will be held at the first regular meeting, when the past president, Rollin K. Page, will preside.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Buselle and two sons, Albert and Earl, started yesterday morning on their extended automobile trip through California, with San Francisco as their ultimate destination, which they will make their permanent home.

Messages of felicitation are finding their way to the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Sutherland of Portland upon the arrival of a son who made his advent last week at the Maternity hospital. The little chap has been named Billy Morrow, and is the second grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland of Salem, his brother, Donald, being the senior by three years. The father is engaged in structural steel building and spent several weeks in Salem last year, when he was superintending the steel work on the Wittenberg-King building.

Mrs. George J. Pearce was hostess for the members of the Thursday afternoon club last week on the occasion of their first gathering of the year. The members brought their knitting and an informal afternoon of exceptional enjoyment was shared by the matrons of the club.

The rooms were handsomely decorated with dahlias. Miss Dorothy Pearce contributed several very pleasing piano numbers, for the pleasure of the guests.

Mrs. A. N. Bush is president of the Thursday afternoon club; this season, the annual election of officers having taken place last spring at the final meeting of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Minton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mildred Gertrude Minton, to Ernest O. Gilham, a member of a prominent pioneer family of Portland. Miss Minton who is a former Salem girl, is popular among the younger social set of Portland. The wedding will take place early in November.

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SPANISH INFLUENZA RAPIDLY SPREADING

Persons Weak And Run Down Easy Victims — Fortify Yourself Against It By Taking Tanlac

According to late reports issued by state and federal health authorities the Spanish influenza epidemic is rapidly spreading to all parts of the country, and it now seems that practically every state in the union will be seriously affected before it runs its course.

It has not only become a great and terrifying menace to the public health but unless checked, it is apt to seriously affect the progress of war work in all its various departments. Already the shipping board has announced that ten per cent of its workers have been affected.

The disease has made its greatest progress in the east where it has claimed its victims by the thousands. Reports from other sections, however, are equally alarming; and both civil and military authorities have warned the public to take every precaution to prevent its further spread. In many cities schools, churches and theaters have been closed and public gatherings of all kinds forbidden.

Medical authorities agree that people who are weak and run down are the easiest victims of the influenza epidemic. If you find yourself tired, weak and losing flesh, or if you are generally run down, condition, or if you catch cold easily, this warning should be heeded promptly. You are really in great danger—because the germ of this disease is very catching and you are apt to fall an easy victim if you come in contact with the germs. People who are well and strong are not likely to contract the disease because they are able to throw it off. The common sense way to keep from taking it is to fortify the system against attack by building up the constitution.

In other words to use the old adage, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." And if you are in a sub-normal condition the proper thing to do is to begin immediately to build up your powers of resistance. To accomplish this, nothing on earth will strengthen you and build you up like Tanlac, the powerful reconstructive tonic, which contains the very elements needed by the system to give you fighting strength and ward off the influenza germ.

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HINDENBURG ATTEMPTS

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East of Vouziers the outskirts of the village of Peronne were reached. Meanwhile, at the northern end of the battle field, Belgian cavalry is pursuing the fleeing enemy. The Havre official statement declared that cavalrymen charged German machine gun nests, taking prisoners. Vast quantities of abandoned German material were taken, including a battery of heavy guns at the coast. At Langenboom, the Belgians took the famous long range gun which for years has bombarded Dunkirk.

The British, battering at the center of the German battlefield in Picardy, have forced a passage of the Selle river between LaCoteau and Denain, where they are pushing toward the Belgian

border south of Valenciennes. Villages in the river valley were seized. The British also drove the last enemy rear guards from the town of Solesmes.

Haig's men captured the heights dominating the Harpies valley. The Germans fought with determination, Haig reported.

The British are at Denain, five miles from Valenciennes, and have taken the village of Haveluy, just north of Denain. British troops have reached the line of Haveluy, Wandignies-Hamige, Brillon, Beaurvy. Two thousand prisoners were taken and some guns. At their nearest point to Tournai, the British are two miles from that important Belgian city.

Allied airplanes continue to destroy German communication centers behind the enemy lines. In spite of misty weather, with rainstorms, British planes have taken important photographs and dropped seven tons of bombs on railroad stations and troop transports.

The Berlin official statement admitted loss of Bruges, Thieft and Courtrai. It admitted the allies had reached the Belgian-Dutch frontier, and that the Germans had been pressed back across the Lys. Allied progress south of Courtrai, east of Donat, in the region of Laon, on the north bank of the Aisne and in the neighborhood of Vouziers was announced by Berlin.

The Germans have robbed and pillaged in every direction, destroying furniture and breaking open floors and ceilings. When the Germans left Ostend they drove every head of cattle out of the town. When the allied troops arrived there was no milk in the place and the children were suffering. The British landed thousands of tons of condensed milk and many tons of flour for these inhabitants.

The burgomaster of Ostend was taken in a torpedo boat destroyed at the request of the king and queen of Belgium, who went minutely into the condition of the Ostend inhabitants. Dr. Calmette, director of the Pasteur Institute at Lille, has written a letter describing the action of the Germans in carrying off the last three horses remaining at the institute for the production of anti-diphtheria serum. In view of the fact that this action is not only contrary to international law but also in opposition to the most elementary dictates of humanity, M. Calmette demands that reparation be exacted.

"During the heavy fighting of the past week north of Verdun we have drawn from other parts of the western front a constantly increasing number of German divisions which are bitterly contesting every foot against our strong attack, in order to secure the retreat of the German army, the position of which has been compromised by the attacks from the south hand west."

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Americans Are Raiding.
Paris, Oct. 21.—Raiding operations in Lorraine and Alsace resulted in capture of prisoners, the French war office announced today.

(This may indicate that the allies are planning an attack on the southern part of the west front and are seeking information of German troops in that region.)

"Between the Serro and the Aisne during the night there was increased artillery fire," the communique said. "In Lorraine and Alsace our raiders entered the German trenches and brought back prisoners. Elsewhere the front was calm."

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