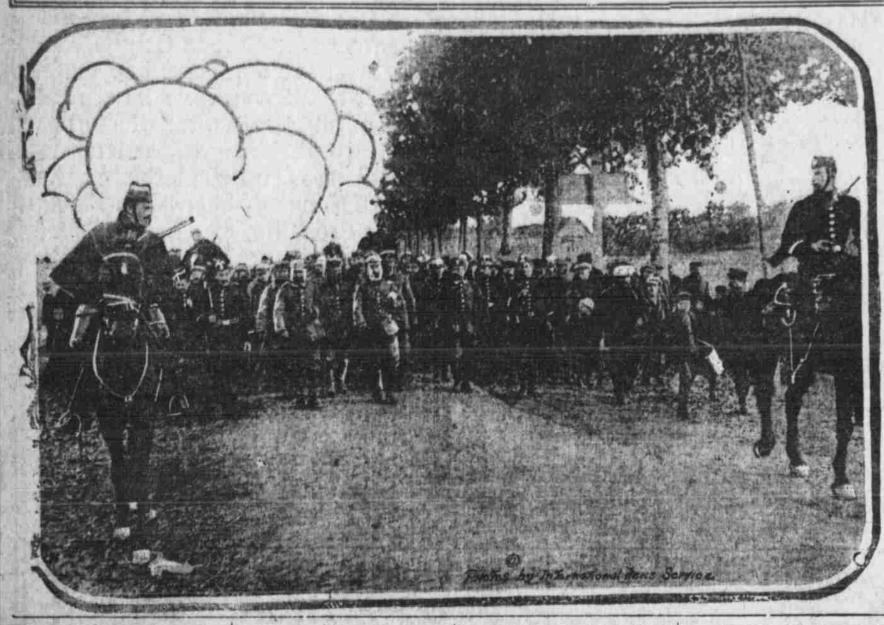
GERMAN PRISONERS, ESCORTED BY BELGIAN AND FRENCH TROOPERS, entering the outskirts of a French town on the Belgian border, name of town deleted by censor.



# **ISLANDER TELLS OF EMDEN'S FIGHT**

German Cruiser Surprised by Sydney While Party Attacking British Insular Station.

LEAVES BOAT CREW BEHIND Heatlie Craft Starts in Pursuit of the Floeing Teuton, and Both

Exchange Shots --- Britons Have Speed Advantage.

The following story is the descrip-n of the opening of the battle be-ten the German cruiser Emden and Australian cruiser Sydney, by an witness.)

tht, 1914, by Press Publishing Co.) KEELING, Cocos Istand (Via Se; iin), ov. IA-(Special Cablestiam to New York rid and Omaha Bee. -- It was early on iday that the unexpected arrival of the Emden broke the caim of these inq-lated little islands, which the distant news of war had hitherto left unfuffied.

of the islands is known as infroc- | saw the Sydney returning, and at \$:45 sland, and there the Eastern Telecompany has a cabie station and staff engaged in relaying messages between England and Australia. Otherwise the Emden. inhabitants are all Maiays, with the eption of descendants of June Chunks Ross, a British naval off cer, who vame to these islands ninety years ago and founded a line of "uncrowned kings."

the Germans sot home. To GIVE GOLD PIECES AWAY the Germans got home. However, the British gunners soon over-

caused and settled down to their work, so that, before long, two of the Emden's funnels were shot away. It lost one of its masts quite early in the fight. Both blasing away with their big guns,

the two cruisers disappeared below the orison, the Emden being on fire. Passes from Sight. So the great naval duel passed from our sight and we could turn our attention to the portion of the German crew that had been left behind. These men had

put off in their boats, obedient to the cothing but come ashore again. fight to a finish if the British cruiser its kind in the middle west. sent a party ashore, but at 6.p. m. the

schooner Ayessa, which belongs to Mr. schooner Ayessa, which belongs to Mr. Ross, the "uncrowned king" of the islands. Selsing a quantity of clothes and stores, they salled out and pothing has been seen of them since. Selsing a quantity of clothes and stores at the store with \$2.50 gold pieces. May person making a purchase of \$35 will receive one of the gold pieces. Selsing a quantity of clothes and stores at the store with \$2.50 gold pieces. Selsing a quantity of clothes and stores. The stallation of a water system, so that the will receive one of the gold pieces. Selsing a quantity of the store will be a stallation of a water system, so that the addition has every modern service at hand. has been seen of them since.

Details of Battle. Early the next morning, Tuesiay, we a. m. it anchored off the taland. From the \$2.50 denomination are rather a scarce various members of the crew I gathered article, and it was necessary to go to

various members of the crew i gathered isome details of the running fight with the Emden. The Sydney having the advantage in If the gold places cannot be procured ded from gas asphyxiation Wednesday speed was able to keep out of range of from the South Omaha banks a wire will morning, will be buried this with its own heavier metal. The engagement lasted eighty minutes, ing. the Emden finally running ashore on Mr. North Keeling island and becoming an utter wrech Only two German shots proved effective. One Kowitch falled to explode, but smashed the main range finder and killed one mdn. The other killed three men and wounded fourteen. Each of the cruiser's attempted to torpado the other, but both were unsuccessful, and the duel proved a contest in hard pounding at long range. The Sydney's speed during the fighting was twenty-six knots and the Emden's twenty-four knots, the British superiority of two knots enabling it to choose the range at which the battle should be fought and to make the most of its superior guns.

We finally decided on the gold tive, came any difficulties this may have Nebraska Clothing Company to Present Customers with Souvenirs.

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steamed off without them they could do son and W. L. Holaman started on their Forty-third and Forty-fifth streets, and new venture at Fifteenth and Farnam between Davenport and California streets On relanding they lined up on the shore streets and now they have one of the is to be opened for sale Saturday and of the lagoon, evidently determined to largest and most progressive stores of Sunday. This is the addition recently As a token of their appreciation for Cary. Cement sidewalks are in and German raiders embarked on the old the welcome given them by the people of trees are planted. Sewers are in and ar-Omaha Mr. Swanson and Mr. Holzman rangements have been completed with

All day representatives of the store sustled around town scouting up the FUNERAL OF W. R. MULVIHILL necessary gold pieces. Gold pieces of

piece. Of course, we will have the usual large number of Saturday bargains and perhaps a few more than on ordinary Saturdays, but the presentation of the gold-piece sift is the way we wish to express our thanks to the public of Omaha and the surrounding territory for their patronage

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TO BE HELD THIS MORNING

#### whether his mother is dead or whether SEEKING HIS PARENTS HERE his parents reparated. He only knows that the Cobbs took him as a baby and mised him Winfred Russell Jenkins is Told His

Father Worked on The Bee.

WAS ADOPTED BY MONTANANS On Death of the Head of the Family

is Given to Understand that

He is Only an Adopted Son.

Starting out at the age of 30 to discover his parents and learn his own identity. the task Winfred Russell Jenkins of Libby, Mont., has set himself. He arrived n Omaha Thursday and at once went to the office of The Omaha Bee, where he had been told his father was employed in the composing room nearly thirty years ago. None of the old-timers date back that far, so no one knew his father.

Young Jenkins says he was raised by a family by the name of Cobb in Libby, tendance.

Mont. He was always known as a member of the family and was known as Winfred Russell Cobb. A few months ago B. Cobb, the head of the family and a and then assaulted. His injuries were wealthy lumber dealer, died, and when not considered serious for several days, division points they take on superinhis affairs were being settled up, Winfred when it finally developed that his skull was told that he was not a member of was fractured. He was brought to the Cobb family at all, but his name was for treatment and he died here.

really Winfred Russell Jenkins; that his father's name was Charles Frederick father's name was Charles Frederick Jenkins, and that he (young Jenkins) was born in Kirwin, Kan., thirty years ago. The Cobb family did not tell him the circumstances that led to their adop-tion of him. He says he, does not know

He begged hard for further information and learned that his father and mother were married in Emporia, Kan., som thirty-one years ago. He learned that his grandfather was a physician in Emporia, Kan. Jenkins says he has heard that a man Going to Wyoming to Look Over the

named Jenkins with his father's initials is editor of a farm paper in Philadelphia. but says he does not know what the paper is, although he hopes to trace this clus down.

CROSBY HOLDING INQUEST INTO DEATH OF F. KRAFJA

Coroner Crosby is holding an inquest into the death of Frank Krafja, who died Thursday night in Nicholas Senn hospital, the result of being assaulted at Pender a week ago. The county attorney from Thurston county is in at-

is accompanied by L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern; H. E. Byram, vice president, in charge of operating on the Burlington: George B. Harris, chairman of the executive committee, and But little has been learned so far of George W. Holdrege, general manager the affair. It was said that Krafja was of the Burlington lines west of the Missourt river. The party is traveling on a called out from his house by two men

special train of five special cars, and at tendents, carrying them to the ends of was fractured. He was brought to Omaha their respective divisions. Mr. Hill is very much interested in the

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#### Seems Far Away.

The war scened very far away, diffcial bulletins passed through the sable station, but they contained iltic news and the only excitement was when it ruppored that the company was tending rifles in case of a raid on the station, and that the beach must be introlled by parties, on the lookout for Gerrans.

Then we heard from Singapore that the German cruiser Emden had been dis-patched to these islands, and then to-ward the end of August one of the cubic thought he saw carculights cut ataff over the ses. Then suddenly we were awakened from our calm and made to feel that we had become a most important place in the war area.

At d a m. on. Monday a four-funnelled cruiser arrived, full speed, at the entrance to the lagoon. Our suspicions were aroused, for it was flying no flag, and its fourth fourth funnel obviously was a dummy, made of painted canvas.

ore, we were not altogether surarised at the turn of events. The cruiser at once lowered an armored launch and two boats, which came ashore and innded on our coral beach three officers and forty men, all fully armed and having four Maxim guns.

### Turn Out Operators.

mans, for all doubt as, to the The Ger operators, smashed their instruments, and seized guns all over the buildings. All knives and firearms found in the alon of the staff were confincated. But in spite of the excitement outside as usual, up to the moment when the

burst in. A general call was mat out just before the wireless apparatus was blown up. The whole of the staff was placed under arrest while the were being destroyed; but it is only fair to say that the Germans, der their officers, were most civil. There clear, but somewhat cooler. was no such brutality as we hear characterison the German army's behavior brasks the weather is about the Ame toward civiliants, and there were no at- as that in Omaha, though a little cooler. tempts at pillaging.

Tries to Cut cables.

While the cable station was being put out of action the crew of the launch grappled the cables and endeavored to of them, but fortunately without suc-

The electrical stores then were blown up. At 9 a. m. we heard the sound of a airon from the Emdon and this evidently was a signal to the landing party to return, for they at once dashed for their boats, but the Emden not under way at ce and the boats were left behind.

Looking eastward we could see the reason for this sudden departure, for a warship, which we afterward learned was the Australian cruiser Sydney, was coming up at full speed in pursuit. The did not wait to discuss mallers, but, firing its first shot at a range of sout 2,700 yards, stemmed north as hard as it could me.

At first the Dring of the Emdes seame nt, while that of the Sydney was but erratic. This, as I afterwards

The Sydney left here at ll a. m. on Tuesday in hope of picking up any of the survivors of the Buresk, the collier that had been in attendance on the Emton and was sunk after the engagement on the previous day. Finally, with of wounded prisoners on number

board, the Sydney left here yesterday and our few hours' war excitement were over.

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LIGHT SNOW GENERAL OVER THE NORTHWEST

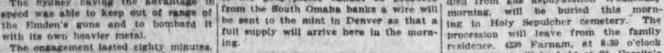
According to the parroad reports there were light snows Thursday night over practically all the northwest west of working in well disciplined fashion un- Wyoming. Now, however, generally it is The reports show that throughout Ne-

a number of points in the state getting below freezing Thursday night.



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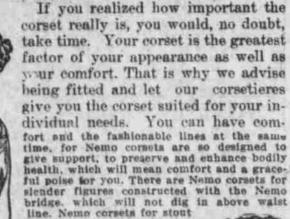


and services will be held at St. Cecelia's Gold Pieces New Idea. cathedral/

Holuman and Mr. Swanson de-The verdict of the coroner's jury reided that the presentation of a \$2.50 piece would be far more accept- turnad Thursday afternoon officially able to the average person than a cut register's the death as an accident. Arprice or something of a similar nature. thur Mahoney, 4160 Chicago street, who "Other stores have bargain sales," it found the body, and police officers who clared Mr. Holzman, "and we wanted investigated later, testified to the condimething different, something distinc- tion of the room when they arrived.







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