

### AUSTRIANS ASK ARMISTICE TO BURY THEIR DEAD; WARY ITALIANS REFUSE REQUEST

Italian Army Headquarters in Northern Italy, Nov. 29.—A visit made today to the fighting ground at Monte Tomba, Monte Monfenera and other mountains in the fighting zone in the north and then to the Piava line, where it joins the mountain front, afforded opportunity to see this central point of the present huge struggle and obtain from officers at several division and brigade headquarters, direct information in regard to the condition of affairs.

**ASKS FOR ARMISTICE.** It was learned that the enemy had asked for an armistice to bury its dead, the request being refused by the Italians because of the Austrian attitude toward a similar request a few months ago.

The Austrians had then proposed that during the armistice the Italian guards should be unarmed and the Austrian guards armed. This was indignantly refused and the present proposal was rejected through lack of confidence in Austrian good faith.

**WATCH AERIAL DUELS.** Approaching the battle zone the cannonading became very heavy with machine gun and rifle fire and a steady succession of aerial duels, as Italian and Austrian machines flew over the opposing lines. A large enemy battle plane was accompanied by a line of chasers which strung out like a flock of wild geese.

**Visit Front Lines.** From a high point of the view led out upon Monte Monfenera and Monte Tomba and the succession of low mountains flanking the Piava river, where the struggle is now centering.

General Garibaldi accompanied the party to the extreme front lines and personally pointed out some of the chief points of the severe fighting. It was his Alpine brigade that threw back the Prussian guard. Three of these regiments of guards had been identified, he said, as the eighth 10th and 12th. As the general had been the chief of staff of Madero in the Mexican wars, he was asked how the present fighting compared with that of Mexico.

**Like Hunting Birds.** "That was much like hunting little birds compared with this," he replied. The general said his men have a splendid morale, despite the terrific strain upon them and that when they were told the French and British were coming, they begged to be allowed to stay in their present exposed position.

"But there is one thing that will stimulate them more than anything else," added the general, "and that is some American regiment, preferably made up of Italians who have taken up residence in America. It would bring inspiration to the whole army."

### DENY POPE AIDED ITALIAN REVERSE BY PEACE TALK

Rome, Nov. 29.—The papal secretary of state, Cardinal Gasparri, answering the numerous criticisms regarding the Vatican's peace attitude issued to the press today the following statement: "The holy father is not preparing any new appeal looking toward peace. His earnest desire, many times manifested, for a just, Christian and durable peace, is unchanged and cannot change. Who can crave anything else and call himself a Christian?"

"Malicious insinuations propagated in America and the tendency to attribute in great part to the Italian clergy responsibility for the recent situation must be denounced. In Italy no fair-minded person is attributing the situation to the clergy."

**Belgian Army of 10 Divisions Ready to Take Place in War** Havre, Nov. 15.—Ten divisions strong, the Belgian army is ready to take its part in the offensive in Flanders whenever the word is given. The Belgian minister of war today told the Associated Press that the Belgian army was composed of 117,000 men at the beginning of the war, increased by 20,000 volunteers in August, 1914, and reduced to 60,000 men after the battle of the Yser.

Since then by the enrollment of Belgian refugees and the enlistment of volunteers who have braved the live wire barriers on the Holland frontier it has been brought up to 10 divisions of well trained troops.

**Mexicans Release Foreign Priests Ordered Deported** Mexico City, Nov. 29.—By order of the department of the interior three of the foreign priests arrested Sunday and ordered deported have been released and permitted to remain in Mexico as a result of efforts on the part of the French, Italian and Spanish representatives here. The government will permit one Spanish, one Italian and one French priest to remain, but foreign priests must not hold religious services in churches, the government has decided.

**Jewish Colonies in Palestine Protected by British Troops** New York, Nov. 29.—Permission to send a Jewish relief and administrative commission to Palestine is being sought from the British government by Zionist leaders in London. It was announced here today by the provisional Zionist committee in this country.

Advice received by Zionist leaders here today are that the British army in Palestine has mounted a special guard over the Jewish colonies there for the purpose of safeguarding native interests, and that the Turks during their retreat did little damage except for confiscating live stock.

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### GARFIELD ASKS RIGHT OF ROAD FOR COAL HAULS

Mines of Country Operating Below Capacity, Due to Inability to Ship; Situation Acute.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 29.—A general priority order giving coal and coke shipments the right of way over other freight movement was requested today by Fuel Administrator Garfield to relieve the country's fuel shortage.

The situation, already critical, has been made worse by the coming of cold weather with its consequent slowing up of railway traffic. In asking the order today of Robert S. Lovett, director of priority, Dr. Garfield suggested it be put into force as soon as possible and that its operation be continued until the crisis is over.

**Mines at Maximum.** Priority for coal shipments, fuel administration officials believe, would go far toward loosening the congestion of coal cars at mines and terminals, which many blame as the real cause of the coal shortage. With the railroads pooling their facilities as planned by the railroad war board and coal moving promptly, the mines, it is declared, would be able to produce at very near their maximum.

The chief obstacle to maximum production now is the slow movement of coal cars, according to officials of the National Coal association, who issued a statement tonight declaring there is on hand in the country at present less than a week's coal supply and asserting that the industries are facing an actual coal famine.

**Tie-Up Imminent.** If the situation is not remedied immediately, the statement said, many of the larger industries and scores of public utilities plants will be forced to suspend operations, probably for days at a time.

**Camouflaged Pies and Cakes Tested on Army Transports** Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Camouflaged pumpkin pie and gingerless ginger bread are the latest experiment in food conservation tested on one of the army transports, and, according to the report of the troops, there was only one objection—there wasn't enough.

Supplied by the National Emergency Food Garden commission, the recipes were tested on the transport Grant with great success. The pie, as its name implies, camouflaged with

### German Actors Steer Clear of Washington

Washington, Nov. 29.—Musical and theatrical organizations coming to Washington during the war must leave alien enemy members behind. Attorney General Gregory refused to relax in favor of 22 members of the Boston Symphony orchestra regulations under President Wilson's proclamation, barring enemy aliens from the District of Columbia, and gave notice that similar action might be expected in all other such cases.

cornmeal, with Indian meal, salt, brown sugar, cinnamon, two eggs and ginger.

The ginger bread, however, is gingerless, molassesless, eggless, butterless and milkless.

### SCANDINAVIAN KINGS MEET TO CHECK WAR TALK

Christiana, Nov. 29.—King Gustave of Sweden and King Christian of Denmark, have arrived here with their respective premiers and foreign ministers. The monarchs will remain in Christiania until Saturday. The city is gorgeously decorated in honor of the visit of the sovereigns.

Announcement was made November 16 that the kings of Denmark and Sweden would visit King Haakon November 28. A dispatch from Copenhagen Tuesday said the Associated Press correspondent had learned from a responsible source that the conference was arranged in consequence of an intimation from Germany that the growth of anti-German sentiment in Norway was being followed with concern by Germany and that it was feared Norway might be impelled, by public opinion or pressure on the allied side, to enter

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the world war, at least to the point of granting a naval base to England and the United States, in which event Germany would be called upon to seize a base in Denmark.

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### WOMEN EXPECT MUCH SATURDAY

Orkin Brothers to Spice Up Their "Removal Sale" With Giant Specialized Day of Selling.  
All Efforts to Be Centered Upon Certain Line Which Will Be Distinguished by Exceptional Price Cuts.

What's going to be specialized at Orkin Brothers on Saturday next?  
Orkin Brothers, who are conducting the "Removal Sale" of Women's Coats, Suits, Skirts, Dresses, Waists and Furs at 1519-1521 Douglas street, Omaha, have a surprise sensation in store for Omaha women on Saturday next.

But, Orkin Brothers are not going to tell the women much about it today; Orkin Brothers simply wish to sort of "mystery" the lady folk over Thanksgiving day, so that curiosity will be aroused sufficiently to look for the advertisements which will appear in Friday's paper.

Orkins will say this much, however: "Everything in the House in the way of \_\_\_\_\_ will be sold at a discount of \_\_\_\_\_."

"Well, you'll have to guess the rest, that's all! Or you'll have to watch the papers Friday, or attend the sale Saturday, if you would know all details. The line to be undercut in price is so much in demand and the discount is so huge that you surely cheat yourself if you do not participate in the buying."

While the entire line of \_\_\_\_\_ will be featured it must not for a moment be thought that other lines will be slighted because of Saturday's specialization on one thing. Every remaining wearable is still offered at "Removal Sale" prices.

Orkin Brothers have said time and time again that they will not take any of the present stocks into their newer quarters in the new Wolf-Hiller-Conant Hotel building at 16th and Harney Sts. Whatever you see at the new place will not have been seen in Omaha before, nor in the entire west, for that matter.

But, to get back to Saturday again—you certainly owe it to yourself to be here. And remember the location—at 1519-1521 Douglas, on south side of the street.

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We can be thankful that this country,—"to the last man, to the last dollar"—has awakened to a full realization of the dangers that lie overseas.

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### AMERICAN AVIATOR ESCAPES BY DARING

Though Wounded, Jumps From Moving Train, Wanders 72 Days and Tunnels Into Holland.

London, Nov. 29.—Lieutenant Patrick O'Brien of Momence, Ill., the first American member of the British flying corps to escape from Germany, has arrived in London. O'Brien eluded his captors by jumping from the window of a speeding train. He then became a fugitive for 72 days and, as his goal was within sight, narrowly escaped electrocution from the charged wires along the Holland frontier.

After cabling his aged mother, Mrs. Margaret O'Brien, at Momence, to expect to see him soon, Lieutenant O'Brien called upon American Ambassador Page to seek advice regarding his desire to be transferred to the American flying corps.

O'Brien, who is a sturdy young man of 27, was flying in the American aviation squadron at San Diego, Cal., when he went to Victoria, B. C., and obtained a commission in the Canadian army. Going to France the next year, he distinguished himself by his great daring over the German lines. On the morning of August 17 enemy gunners forced him to descend, but fortunately he landed behind his own lines.

Late afternoon of the next day saw him up again over the German lines, fighting the enemy. There were 20 German machines to six British in the encounter. O'Brien's machine alone engaging four enemy craft and accounting for one before O'Brien was shot through the upper lip. He fell with his damaged airplane from a height of 8,000 feet. O'Brien says he cannot explain why he was not killed. When he regained consciousness he was in a German hospital.

Later the lieutenant spent three weeks at a prison camp at Courtrai before he was started for the interior of Germany. There were three other prisoners under a strong guard in his compartment when O'Brien, as a ruse, had the window opened by complaining of the smoke.

When the train was sixty miles inside Germany and traveling 30 miles an hour, O'Brien jumped from the train, skinning the whole side of his face, reopening the wound in his lip and losing consciousness.

It was about 4 o'clock in the morning and the darkness shielded him. When he recovered he was lying in a field.

Then for 72 days he was a fugitive, traveling only at night. He trudged through fields and swam rivers and canals in Germany, Luxemburg and Belgium before he reached the Dutch frontier. At the time of his flight he had a piece of sausage on which he subsisted several days, after which his sole sustenance consisted of turnips and other vegetables found in fields.

**Disastrous Fire Wipes Out Part of Storm Lake** Storm Lake, Ia., Nov. 29.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire which broke out in the E. L. O'Banion building this morning caused a loss of \$150,000, destroying the Storm Lake Lumber company's sheds, L. S. Dlugosch building, Masonic temple and smaller structures, together with practically the entire contents. The heaviest losers are the Storm Lake Lumber company, B. B. Fiscus furniture store, Park Bros., who owned two floors of the Masonic temple; L. S. Dlugosch and the Masonic lodge.

**Italians Lose Three Ships.** Rome, Nov. 29.—Italian shipping losses due to submarine attacks during the week ended November 25, were one steamer of more than 1,600 tons, one tender that tonnage and one small sailing vessel, it was officially announced today.

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