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Review Shows Stupendousness of the Effort

Almost Two Million Men Overseas—Complete Railway Systems Constructed and Operated—Docks and Warehouses Built—The Food Problem

These figures serve in a measure to show the magnitude of American accomplishment, and the great machine is in operation today as the American Third Army moves forward into German territory.

On the morning of November 11 the United States had in France 78,891 officers and 1,881,370 men, a total of almost 2,000,000.

Behind this, again, was the requisite food, clothing and general supplies for the men, as well as the house construction. Every effort of civil life, plus the requirements of war, was exerted.

The American army has brought over to France and has in operation 67 standard gauge locomotives and 13,174 standard gauge freight cars of American manufacture.

These figures represent a fairly good-sized American railway company, but they represent only a fraction of the transport effort.

Even at the present stage of the armistice, which may precede peace, it is not permissible to hint at the vast stores of munitions and armament brought over and held in readiness.

constructed. This development of French ports increased facilities to such an extent that even if the Germans had captured Calais and other channel ports, as they had planned, the Allied loss would have been strategically unimportant.

Sends Record Of Sea Monster

Forty-five Feet Long, Weighed Fifteen Tons, and at That It Was Only a Baby of Its Kind

A record of a most unusual monster of the deep caught near her home in Broadtown, Florida, has been forwarded to W. H. Parler of this city, by his daughter, Mrs. Williams.

It had swallowed an octopus weighing 1,500 pounds, which was still alive in its stomach when caught.

The creature is not classified in natural history, the genus or species are unknown and it is not only the most remarkable zoological specimen but the largest specimen of the fish tribe known in history.

Although the largest fish ever captured, scientists claim it was only a baby of its tribe and it is thought that full growth it would have been two and one-half times as large.

Every undertaking establishment on the Florida coast from Jacksonville to Key West gave up their entire supply of formaldehyde to preserve the monster and over nineteen barrels were used.

lected until it is finished, as there will be a steady demand for more and breeding stock from Europe with the re-establishment of normal communication and the release of ships from war services.

Winter Trawling Off Nova Scotia

Long Hours of Hard Work Under Difficult Conditions at Sea

"If most of the people who eat fish, especially in winter time, had to catch their own fish, the world would be a very different place from what it is today."

Winter fishing on the Grand Banks means long hours of hard work and under about the most difficult conditions one can conceive.

Only the fishermen's most treacherous foe, foggy weather, can deter Captain Myhre from setting out.

The intention is to compare the performance of the machines and to recommend for industrial use whichever may prove the more suitable to Canadian conditions.

"I thought you said you knew something about cooking," said the sergeant, "I did say so," admitted Mr. Erastus Pinkley.

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