



The Evening News

Daily Weather Report

Showers Tonight and Thursday
Highest temp. yesterday ...74
Lowest temp. last night ...44

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BOX FACTORY IF BOND ISSUE IS CARRIED

C. J. Hahn Would Manufacture
Boxes at Roseburg.

MUST HAVE MATERIAL FOR A SAWMILL

Is Much Pleased With Prospects for
Roseburg and Vicinity and Be-
lieves There is Opportunity
for Box Factory.

Mr. C. J. Hahn, who has been in this city for several days investigating this vicinity as a location for a box factory today announced positively that should the saw mill be assured at Roseburg within the next two years that he would start construction work on a large plant at once. Not only would he locate a new industry here himself, but he feels confident that he can bring a large fruit canning company here if they can be provided with boxes in which to ship their goods.

Mr. Hahn has been in the box manufacturing business for several years and at the present time is the owner of one of the largest plants in Missouri. The timber which is being cut, however, to supply him material is now nearly exhausted and he is looking for a new location and believes that the western states are the most advantageous for his business. His mill, if built will be operated in conjunction with the saw mill, using the waste lumber and also a large supply of the first class lumber for the better grade of boxes. The plant will employ a large number of men and the output will be governed wholly by the demand for the product.

The demand for boxes in this vicinity is now very great and with the addition of a canning factory which would use thousands of boxes a day in their shipping business a box factory would undoubtedly receive an excellent start. Mr. Hahn is spending a few days looking about the vicinity of the city in an endeavor to find a suitable site for his plant when he is assured by the vote of the people that the saw mill is to be built in the near future. He was brought here through the work of the bureau of industries of the Commercial club which through its chairman, Henry Richardson, has been corresponding with him for several months.

FOUR KILLED BY GERMAN AIR RAID

LONDON, April 26.—Four persons were killed and 12 seriously wounded when German airships made another raid over England. This was the official announcement made by the war office today.

The towns of Doestoft and Yarmouth were shelled and twenty buildings in the former place were destroyed.

It is stated that the Zeppelins dropped over one hundred bombs in the estuary of the Thames river but that no damage or casualties resulted.

WILL INVESTIGATE CONDITION ROADS

In order to investigate the many complaints made by tourists and local auto owners in regard to the condition of Pacific highway at several points in the county and especially at Oakland the members of the Pacific highway bureau of the Commercial club accompanied by a photographer will make a personal tour of

inspection next Sunday. Automobiles have been arranged for and a large number of men who are interested in road matters will accompany the members of the bureau on the trip which will cover nearly all the highway north of Roseburg while other cars may be sent on the road south of here although there are very few complaints of the road in this direction.

The road for several miles north of Oakland is reported to be very bad by local men who have traveled over it during the past few days by tourists who are arriving in the city. The committee will visit this stretch of road and obtain pictures of it and will make an effort to have it improved in case it is found as described.

J. M. UPTON'S FUNERAL

MARSHFIELD, Or., April 26.—Stores of the city closed for an hour this morning in respect to the late J. M. Upton, late register of the land office at Roseburg, whose funeral was held from the Marshfield Episcopal church. The body arrived here this afternoon, accompanied by members of the family.

RUNNING FIGHT ENDS IN ROUT FOR BANDITS

Two American Troopers Lose
Lives in Battle.

CHASE CONTINUES FAR INTO NIGHT

Detachments of American Troops
Are Chasing Scattered Bands
of Villistas, Hoping to Cap-
ture the Leader.

COLUMBUS, April 26.—Two American soldiers were killed and several wounded in a battle with Villistas last Saturday, the advices of today stated. The column under Dodd defeated three hundred Villistas in western Chihuahua, the bandit losses are unknown. Meager accounts said several bands of Villistas had concentrated under four generals. The Americans routed them and pursued them until nightfall, and many of the Mexicans are reported as having been killed.

Still Chasing Villistas.

NAMIQUIPA, April 26.—Several American columns are chasing the Villistas in different places where Villa is reported as hiding in the mountains. The advance base has been withdrawn to within three hundred miles of the border. The shortened line has been completely equipped with munitions and provisions.

NAMIQUIPA, Colonel Dodd, commanding one detachment of cavalry in pursuit of Villa, reported to General Funston today that six Villistas had been killed and 19 wounded in a fierce three hour running fight with a band of 260 of the bandit leader's men, and a small detachment of his troops.

Colonel Dodd reported that two of his troopers were killed and three wounded during the engagement. The remainder of the band were reported as having been scattered by the troops by pursuing them until long after dark. The American troopers also captured 25 horses and a "small amount of booty belonging to the bandits.

TANKER SUNK AFTER
RESISTANCE TO SUBMARINE

BERLIN, April 26.—(wireless via ayville).—The British tanker Goldmouth, after being warned to halt, fired on a German submarine, and the tanker was sunk after a 30-minute engagement. The ship was struck eight times and one sailor wounded. The captain was imprisoned on the charge of attacking a submarine. British naval gunners manned the cannon on the Goldmouth.

CONVENTION DRAWING NEAR TO ITS CLOSE

Tonight's Session Ends First
State Convention Here.

COUNTY OFFICERS ELECTED LAST NIGHT

Interest in Convention Has Been
Great and Church Has Been
Packed to Capacity By
Large Audiences.

Today was the big day at the Sunday school convention which has been in progress at the M. E. church for the past three days. The delegates are all here, the enthusiasm has reached its height and tonight the best meeting of the entire convention will be held. Each service has seen the crowds attending on the increase and the excellent music and speeches have proved a drawing card which has made the convention one of the best ever held in southern Oregon.

The most important business of the meeting yesterday was the election of officers for the county association. F. C. Fitzpatrick, of Roseburg, was chosen as president; Mrs. McVicar, of Sutherlin, vice-president; Miss Allie Black, of Roseburg, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. C. S. Jackson, of Roseburg, elementary secretary; Miss Mildred Kruse, of Oakland, teen age superintendent; A. J. Geddes, of Roseburg, adult superintendent, and Miss Maybelle Wilson, of Roseburg, educational superintendent. The matter of paying the apportionment for Douglas county to the state work was discussed and the amount was pledged by the various Sunday schools of the city. Yoncalla Sunday schools sent \$7 which was about one third of the entire apportionment.

The meeting last night was a very educational and interesting one. It was opened by a song service led by Loren Luper, who also played two excellent trombone solos.

Dr. H. A. Dowling, secretary of the Southern California Sunday School Association, then delivered a pleasing address on the subject of the "Organized Bible Class Movement". Dr. Dowling is a fluent and pleasing speaker and presented his facts in an interesting manner. A vocal duet by Walter Fisher and Leon McClintock followed the first address after which President Camp-

bell of the state university, spoke on the sure foundation of character. President Campbell's address was well delivered and will doubtless prove a great benefit to those who are active in Sunday school work.

The morning today was taken up by conference work, the subjects being those involved in the elementary, teen age and adult and home work.

At 10 o'clock the meeting was turned over to the children of the Sunday school who are in the teen age classes. Several excellent original talks were given by the younger folks who told of their ideas in regard to Sunday school activities.

The afternoon was taken up by several short addresses on various phases of Bible school work, the speakers being Dr. H. A. Carahan, Rev. John H. Matthews, of Seattle; Mrs. Mary F. Bryner, Rev. Geo. T. Pratt, of Newport; Rev. R. E. Martin, of Portland, and Dr. H. A. Dowling, of Los Angeles. This meeting was then adjourned for sectional conferences, the pastor's meeting in the Baptist church, the superintendents in the Presbyterian church and the teachers in the Christian church.

The program for tonight is as follows:

7:30—Song Service, Orchestra and convention leader.

Prayer.

8:00—Address, Pressing Toward the Goal, Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner.

8:30—Special music.

Offering.

8:40—Address, Religion in Education, Pres. Carl G. Doney, of Willamette University, Salem.

9:20—Closing Words, by state president and delegates.

Benediction by Dr. Paul J. Lux, Roseburg.

AVIATORS ATTACK GERMAN RAIDERS

PARIS, April 26.—A French aeroplane attacked a Zeppelin at three o'clock this morning, off Zeebrugge, at an altitude of 13,000 feet, and threw nine incendiary shells. The dirigible is believed to have been returning from a raid on England. She soared skyward, and the aviator believed she was damaged. Simultaneously, another aeroplane attacked a German torpedo boat at Ostend, the bombs struck the vessel, but the extent of the damage is unknown. A French aviator downed a Fokker at Inneville, capturing the pilot. Apparently the French aviators are pursuing a new policy of intercepting the returning raiders. A flotilla of aircraft darted toward Zeebrugge last night, when word of the attack on England was telegraphed to France. The Germans pounded the Avacourt woods and the surround-

REBELLION IN IRELAND WAS NO SURPRISE

Rumors of Impending Revo-
lution Heards For Weeks.

REBELS HOLD PRINCIPAL POINTS IN CITY

Twelve Royalist Are Killed and
Nineteen Wounded in Making
An Attack Upon the
Postoffice.

LONDON, April 26.—Energetic steps to quell the insurrection in Dublin are being taken, the censor permitted the United Press to cable this, but it is impossible to send details. The telegraph to Dublin is severed, and the best information indicates that the rebels still hold the principal part of the city, where it is believed that serious fighting continues, although the revolt has not spread elsewhere throughout Ireland. The postoffice still remains in the possession of the rebels. The newspapers stated that the rebellion was no surprise, as rumors of an impending revolution have circulated for weeks, and some reports had fixed the date for the outbreak definitely for Easter. The Chronicle reported that a strong force of rebels had demolished the Hibernians hall at Breegh, and damaged the homes of Catholics with a fusillade of shots.

So far as has been announced by the British government, only Dublin is affected. Here serious fighting took place Monday between regular troops, volunteers and policemen against members of the Sinn Fein society, who had captured the postoffice and Stephens green and many houses in various parts of the city.

Three of the officers of the troops, four or five soldiers, two volunteers, and two policemen were killed, and about a score of others wounded. The loss of the revolutionists has not been made known. The government says the military now has the situation well in hand.

Many Killed and Wounded.

LONDON, April 26.—Dublin has been the scene of serious fighting between members of the Sinn Fein society and regular troops reinforced by local volunteers. The loyalists

ing territory with an intense bombardment last night, but there were no important infantry operations, the communique stated.

lost about 12 men killed and 19 wounded. The casualties of the rioters are unknown as yet. Many of the disturbers were arrested.

The trouble started at noon Monday, in the center of Dublin, when a mob seized the Stephens green, a large park near the Royal university; the postoffice, where the telegraph and telephone wires were cut, and houses in various parts of the town. Troops from the Curragh and loyal volunteers were hastily summoned and fighting between them and the mob began almost at once.

The Sinn Fein, or "for ourselves" society, is comprised of men of strong anti-English sentiments. Its program calls for the boycott of England, the refusal of Irishmen to attend parliament or to enter business or social relations with the English in Ireland. The abstention, as far as possible, of Irishmen from enlistment in the army, and from buying English goods, also is called for in the society's platform.

English Troops Reach Dublin.

LONDON, April 26.—Government troops from Belfast reached Dublin today and occupied St. Stephens and Liberty halls in the heart of the city. Asquith announced, Martial law was declared over the entire country. Birrell announced this afternoon he was going direct to Ireland at once and direct the suppression of the revolt.

WILL REFUSE TO WARN FREIGHTERS

BERLIN, April 26.—The demand of Wilson that submarines warn freighters before attacking, is the most serious obstacle in the path of an amicable settlement, the United Press learned on good authority. It is possible to dispose of the other points at issue without any danger of a diplomatic rupture.

Merchantmen Presumed Peaceful.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—The belligerents should presume that armed merchantmen are peaceful unless they have conclusive evidence to the contrary, the state department officially declared. Merely because the enemy merchantmen are armed, is an insufficient reason to declare it a warship, and attack regardless of the rights of persons aboard, is the position of the American government. These points were announced in a memorandum that is intended to clear the American position on the general subject of armed ships.

AMERICANS TO BE WARNED OFF CERTAIN VESSELS

WASHINGTON, April 26.—A warning will be issued to Americans to refrain from traveling on certain ships when the administration learns that these ships are under mandatory orders from the allied governments. The action on the part of the American government was learned today. A memorandum was issued today and is intended to forestall Germany from asking just what is the American position in regard to the present method of submarine warfare.

COMPROMISE IS AFFECTED ON MILITARY BILL

WASHINGTON, April 26.—As the result of the statements of Senator Chamberlain, the house and senate leaders conference said the compromise military measure will provide for a regular army of 175,000. The federal reserve will be smaller than Chamberlain had intended. The militia will receive all demands, which included increased pay for officers and more equipment.

OSTEOPATHY PRIZE WINNERS.

In the prize essay on Osteopathy which has been in progress by Dr. DeLapp for the past month, a number of excellent communications were received, and it was a difficult matter to make a selection, but the first prize of \$20.00 was awarded to Mrs. Marie Flint Ritter, and the second of \$10.00 to Miss Harriet Halde-man, both of these articles being considered very meritorious and most excellently written.

PRESIDENT WILSON DELIVERING HIS MEMORABLE ADDRESS



Arrow points to President Wilson.

This photograph was taken when President Wilson delivered his memorable address to congress on the subject of German undersea warfare. Behind the president sit Speaker Champ Clark (extreme right) and Vice President Marshall.