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# THE EVENING NEWS

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## THE WEATHER

Tonight and Friday, Rain.  
Highest temp. yesterday.....46  
Lowest temp. last night.....42

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## HUN BATTLESHIPS ARE SURRENDERED

### Allied Fleet Takes Possession of German Navy Surface Vessels.

## APATHY SEEN IN BERLIN

### Middle Classes Taking More Interest in Prospect of Food and Supplies from United States Than in Government.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Nov. 21.—The German fleet as specified in the armistice terms, was today surrendered to the allies at a point off the coast. An admiral's announcement of the surrender says "that the main German fleet met the British at 9:30 this morning and control of the ships was soon transferred from command of enemy crews to the allies." The British grand fleet was accompanied by an American battle squadron and several French cruisers, and the most formidable combined navy ever assembled steamed out to accept the battleships and cruisers of the German fleet.

It is understood that eight German battleships, six battle cruisers and eight cruisers surrendered today. There remain to be turned over to the allies two battleships and fifty torpedo boat destroyers.

## APATHY NOTICEABLE.

BERLIN, Nov. 21.—After a week of revolution, during which time there has been a good deal of severe fighting, Berlin streets today present about the usual appearance of any Saturday during the war period. The masses appear to be little excited or worried over the probable future progress of events, and the listless attitude of the middle class elements in the early stages of the revolution is now typical of the apathy that prevails throughout the nation generally. The news that the United States will send relief to the distressed people of Germany has temporarily, at least, eclipsed all curiosity over the political drama being enacted.

## DUTCH VIOLATE NEUTRALITY.

PARIS, Nov. 21.—The allied governments have decided to send an official protest to the government of Holland against the violation of that country's neutrality as a result of her permitting German troops to cross the province of Limburg in their retreat from Belgium, according to Paris newspaper reports.

## PASS LUXEMBURG.

PARIS, Nov. 21.—United States troops will pass through the city of Luxembourg today.

## WHITMAN DEMANDS REVIEW OF BALLOTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Governor Whitman, according to the face of election returns defeated by Alfred E. Smith, democratic candidate for governor, today announced that he will apply for a judicial review of all rejected ballots in every county of the state.

## AIRPLANE WANTED TO STOP AT ROSEBURG

Mayor Stewart last night received a telegram from Lieutenant Colonel Emmons, of the Aviation school at Matfield, Sacramento, stating that an airplane flight from Sacramento to Seattle was being contemplated and inquiring whether there was a good landing place for the machine in this vicinity. Lieutenant Colonel Emmons stated that the landing

place must be of at least forty acres of level land free from all ground and overhead obstructions and in such a condition that an automobile can travel over any part of it at a speed of twenty miles an hour. After giving the matter due consideration and discussing the feasibility of the airplane, finding a "landing place" near this city, Mayor Stewart was compelled to wire those in charge of the proposed flight, that, owing to the weather conditions at this particular time of the season, a safe landing place could not be recommended. The event would have attracted a large number of people from all parts of the county, could it have been staged at this city.

## THANKSGIVING DANCE BE MILITARY AFFAIR

The First Battalion, Second Regiment, Oregon Guard, are going to hold a Victory Hop at the armory Thanksgiving eve, Wednesday night, November 27th. It's going to be the event of the year, a military ball. Committees have been appointed from Companies J and K, and Company L has been asked to appoint their representatives. The boys are very enthusiastic over the affair and are looking forward to the most enjoyable evening had for a long time. The public is invited to join with them to make the dance a success. Nothing will be left undone to make things pleasant for everyone. Ever since it has been known this organization was going to give a dance, inquiries have been pouring in from out of town wanting to know the date. So remember it's Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday night, November 27, and be prepared to come and have the time of your life. A Victory Hop. Nuff Ced.

## URGING TEACHERS TO TAKE DUE PRECAUTION

Asserting that the influenza epidemic is subsiding, but that the danger is not yet passed, Superintendent J. A. Churchill, is urging the teachers over the state to take particular precaution where there is any indication of disease in the child in the school room. The State Board of Health, conferring with the state superintendent, requests that all teachers of this state be on the lookout for all pupils who evidence any indication of the influenza and promptly exclude them from classes until they can furnish a medical certificate of health. The State Health Board further says that the signs of influenza are varied and are probably too complex for a teacher to go into at any great length, since physicians themselves are frequently at fault in diagnosing it.

The broad general plan that all pupils who are manifestly below par in health, should be a guide inasmuch as such a child has no business in due to a contagion or otherwise, says Superintendent Churchill. Superintendent Churchill adds that it may not be possible for teachers in some rural communities to have a child present a medical certificate, but where this is not possible, the teacher should not permit the pupil to remain in school so long as there are any symptoms of illness. According to latest reports in this city, the attendance is very satisfactory, considerably under the average of children being absent because of sickness of any kind.

## DECREE DIVORCE GRANTED.

Judge Hamilton this morning granted a decree of divorce to Mildred A. Alexander from James Chr. Alexander on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Mrs. Alexander was authorized by the court to resume her former name, Mildred A. Carswell. The defendant in the divorce proceedings is now in the state of California.

Carrie Dixon left here this afternoon for Camp Lewis where she will visit with her brother, Seth Dixon, who is a member of the United States mounted police stationed there.

## SENATE REFUSES HEARFORD'S CLAIM

### Committee Voted Six to Five For Turning Down Contest Proceedings.

## CONGRESS ADJOURNS

### Warden Murphy, of the Oregon Penitentiary, Displaced by Governor—Successor is H. L. Stevens of Multnomah.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Proceedings before the senate election committee, contesting the election of Truman H. Newberry, of Michigan, republican candidate for the United States senate, whose election was to be contested on the ground of excessive campaign expenditures, was today abandoned by a vote of six to five. It was decided that it would be highly improper for the existing committee to inquire into the election of a senator to the next congress.

## CONGRESS ADJOURNS TODAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The present session of congress will adjourn this afternoon.

## KOLSCHAK HEADS GOVERNMENT

VLADIVOSTOK, Nov. 21.—Through the court by the council of ministers of the new all-Russian government at Omsk, Admiral Alexander Kolschak becomes virtual commander and dictator of the all-Russian army and fleet.

## WASHINGTON SATISFIED.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—News of the coup at Omsk is regarded as another sign pointing to the stabilization of the movement that is relied upon to regenerate Russia and put the nation upon a solid basis.

## EFFECTIVE A LITTLE LATE.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—President Wilson today signed the emergency agricultural appropriation bill, providing for national prohibition from July 1, 1919, until the army is demobilized.

## ASKS WARDEN TO QUIT.

SALEM, Nov. 21.—Governor Withycombe has written a letter to Warden Murphy, of the penitentiary, asking his resignation. Murphy's successor will be Robert L. Stevens, former Sheriff of Multnomah county, who is slated to receive the governor's appointment sometime before the first of the year. Referring to his request for Murphy's resignation, the governor said "I have a high regard for Warden Murphy personally, but believe that he is an idealist, and his ideas will not work out at the prison. Excessive waste in the commissary department is largely the reason I have asked him to resign."

## ONE CARLOAD OF FINE SHORTHORNS ARRIVE

The first consignment consisting of one carload of bulls and cows for the Shorthorn sale to be held in Roseburg at 11 o'clock Saturday was received at the depot this afternoon, and unloaded and taken to the Empire barns where the auction is to be held.

This stock will be on exhibit all day Friday and it is worth a trip to the barns to see. This car was shipped from Albany and is owned by J. B. Cornett of Shedd, Felzer Bros., of Tangent and E. F. Anderson, of Albany.

## 5,000 MEN NEEDED TO BRING SOLDIERS HOME

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Arrangements for bringing home the troops in France are being worked out rapidly from the shipping point of view, the Shipping Board announced today, in issuing a call for 5,000

volunteers to man the ships that will be used for that purpose.

Chairman Harley, before his departure for Europe, left definite orders to rush all arrangements for this work. The war department transport service, it was said, is cooperating fully with the shipping board.

Plans have been now formulated whereby the Shipping Board will furnish crews for the war department transports. Every month, it was said, 400 men will be required as firemen and other hundreds for ratings as sailors, stewards, cooks and coal passers.

Men between 18 and 35 will be accepted under the call issued today without regard for their draft rating or previous experiences and will be put aboard training ships at Boston, San Francisco, Seattle, New Orleans and Cleveland for six weeks special training. Opportunity will be afforded those who enlist in this service to remain permanently in the merchant marine after peace has been signed and the entire army returned to the United States.

## MEETING WITH GOOD SUCCESS.

The various committees appointed yesterday to again take up the solicitation of funds for the present War Work Campaign are meeting with excellent success today, and many of those who at first did not fully realize the importance of the work to be carried out by the various organizations, are today doubling the first contribution and there is every likelihood that this city will be away over the top at an early date. The manner in which the patriotic citizens are responding is certainly most gratifying.

## VERY LOW THIS AFTERNOON.

D. W. Bennett, who has a severe attack of Spanish influenza, is reported very low this afternoon and grave hopes are entertained for his recovery. He has been critically ill for some days and his many friends sincerely hope he will rally and overcome his affliction.

## RED CROSS WORK ROOMS MOVED

The Red Cross work rooms have been moved into the Umpqua Hotel building in the rooms formerly occupied by Simon Caro, where all work in connection with the Red Cross will be carried on the future. Instructions have been received to stop all surgical dressing work, hence the surgical dressings rooms will be closed and all work will be carried on under one hand. Mrs. C. W. Parrott has consented to remain in charge of the work rooms for a short while and she will have full control and supervision of all relief work, including the knitting and army dressings.

Do not get the impression from this, that with the cessation of hostilities Red Cross work will cease. There will be more work than ever this winter, but along different lines.

S. D. EVANS,  
Chairman Publicity Com.

## CITY NEWS

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold an Xmas bazaar sale of useful articles and home cooking on Saturday, December 7. A more complete announcement will follow later.

The George Kohlhaugen market is showing a large display of Thanksgiving birds this week, about 1500 turkeys being received at the market in all. These turkeys are purchased from the farmers of this vicinity by the Kohlhaugen market, a portion of them being used for home consumption and the remainder being shipped to Portland. Turkeys are selling at 40 cents per pound this year.

C. S. Hoinline has been placed in charge of the Douglas Creditors Association, Mr. Benson having accepted a position at Olympia, Washington, and will leave for the north tomorrow. Mr. Hoinline is in every way qualified to look after the widening business interests of the Creditors Association. Mrs. Benson will not leave Roseburg just at this time, but expects to remain here most of the winter, when she will join her husband in the Washington capital.

## AUCTION PURE BRED CATTLE SATURDAY

### Both Beef and Milk Strains of Shorthorns are Listed in Consignment.

## FIRST EVENT OF KIND

### Fine Lot of Young Bulls Will be Included—Several Helfers of Fine Breeding to be Offered at This Sale.

The Shorthorn sale to take place at the Empire Feed Stables Saturday at 11 o'clock will mark a distinct advance in the livestock industry in Douglas County, according to C. J. Hurd, County Agricultural agent.

Mr. Hurd states that a number of people are under the impression that the cattle will sell for exorbitant prices, and more than the ordinary farmer with a small herd can afford to pay. It is hoped that the consignment will bring a fair price, but it wants to be distinctly understood, that all stock placed upon the block will be sold at whatever price the bidders see fit to bid.

The actual selling of stock will be preceded by a short talk by Professor Potter, of the Agricultural College, and the selling of stock will begin at 11 o'clock. As there is only twenty-five head in the consignment it will be necessary for those who are expecting to participate in the sale to be on hand promptly.

The consignment will consist of the following:  
Barrington's Pride 607972; Red and white, calved June 25th, 1917. Bred and owned by Felzer Bros., Tangent, Oregon.

Marshal 704175; Red, calved Jan. 15, 1918. Bred and owned by Felzer Bros., Tangent, Oregon.

Victory 607974 (Twin); Roan, calved June 30th, 1917. Bred and owned by Felzer Bros., Tangent, Ore.

Victor 607973 (Twin); Red and white. Calved June 30th, 1917. Bred and owned by Felzer Bros., Tangent, Oregon.

Pleasant View Pride 621913; roan, calved Oct. 1, 1917. Bred by W. O. Minor, Heppner, Oregon. Owned by Felzer Bros., Tangent, Oregon.

Pride 612977; Roan, calved July 14, 1917. Bred by O. M. Robbins, Molalla, Oregon. Owned by E. H. Holloway, Albany, Oregon.

Loekomon Minority 697618; Red and white. Calved Sept. 10, 1917. Bred and owned by E. F. Anderson & Son, Albany, Oregon.

Red Prince 712542; Red. Calved November 3, 1917. Bred and owned by Frank Brown, Carlton, Oregon.

Prince Diamond 708459; Red. Calved April 15, 1918. Bred and owned by Frank Brown, Carlton, Ore.

Snow King 660748; White. Calved August 27, 1917. Bred and owned by J. B. Cornett & Son, Shedd, Oregon.

General Funston 660745; Roan. Calved August 20, 1917. Bred and owned by J. B. Cornett & Son, Shedd, Oregon.

Red Bird; Red. Calved Oct. 28, 1917. Bred and owned by J. B. Cornett, Shedd, Oregon.

King Bee 2nd; Red. Calved Oct. 24, 1917. Bred and owned by Cornett & Son, Shedd, Oregon.

Onward Goods 2d; Red. Calved December 8th, 1917. Bred by R. E. Boyce, Baker, Oregon. Owned by A. M. Haradon, Yamhill, Oregon.

Royal Goods 3d; Red. Calved December 11, 1917. Bred by R. E. Boyce, Baker, Oregon. Owned by A. M. Haradon, Yamhill, Oregon.

Roan Monarch 603488; Roan. Calved June 26, 1917. Bred by Joe C. Smith, Corvallis, Oregon. Owned by James Cruikshank, Dayton, Ore.

MILKING SHORTHORNS:  
Foothills Forager; Red. Calved November 9, 1917, milking strain of Shorthorn. Bred and consigned by W. B. Ayer, Foothills Farm, Carlton, Oregon. A straight lined bull with good Shorthorn character. A double-decker.

Foothills Conqueror; Roan. Milking strain; calved Sept. 8, 1917. Bred and owned by W. B. Ayer, Foot-

hills Farm, Carlton, Ore. This is an exceptionally good bull and every animal in his pedigree is a good one. A great prospect for a herd bull.

Foothills Archer; Red. Calved December 3, 1917. Milking strain. This bull represents the best breeding in the country and will appeal to anyone wishing an animal of this character. Bred and consigned by W. B. Ayer, Foothills Farm, Carlton, Oregon.

## COWS:

Ring Mary 677474; Roan. Calved November 4, 1917. Bred by Dick Kiger, Corvallis, Oregon. Owned by E. F. Anderson, Albany, Oregon.

Gay Wanda 648434; Roan. Calved October 2, 1917. Bred by Dick Kiger, Corvallis, Oregon. Owned by E. F. Anderson, Albany, Oregon.

Ring Lady 648435; Roan. Calved Sept. 25, 1917. Bred by Dick Kiger, Corvallis, Oregon; owned by E. F. Anderson, Albany, Oregon.

Elaine third 684755; Red, little white. Calved June 17, 1917. Bred by J. C. Smith, Suver, Oregon. Owned by E. F. Anderson, Albany, Ore.

## DOUGLAS PIONEER CALLED YESTERDAY

Isaac C. Kent, aged 83 years, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ethel McKay, in this city yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, November 20. The deceased was born in Missouri in 1835, moving from that state to California and in 1860 took up his residence in Oregon and was one of the sturdy pioneers of Douglas county who had many warm friends and a large acquaintanceship.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at the Civil Bend cemetery by Rev. J. C. Spencer, pastor of the Roseburg Methodist Church. By his first wife the deceased is survived by Mrs. Sarah Bolinger, of Dillard; Wm. Kent, of Venice, Cal.; Fred Kent, of Sumner, Oregon; and Isaac Kent, of Lakeview, Oregon. By his second marriage the following children survive him: Robert A. Kent, of Dillard, Oregon; Mrs. Ethel McKay, Mrs. Annie Agoe and Mrs. Viola Fridlund, all residents of this city. He is also survived by a stepdaughter, Mrs. Jennie Edmundson, of Cascade, Idaho.

## NO LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Senator Reed, of Missouri, democratic, voiced opposition to a proposed league of nations today, and declared that any arrangement of the sort, which would eventually cause the United States to become embroiled in the European troubles, was monstrous.

## MOONEY'S FRIENDS SAY FRAUD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Letters from Judge Franklin Griffin, who tried and sentenced Tom Mooney, which are said to have been sent to Governor Stephens, asking that the condemned man be given a new trial, are alleged by Mooney's friends to be due evidence that there was fraud and conspiracy against him.

## ENCOURAGING SALE OF THRIFT STAMPS

Thrift stamp sales are still being encouraged. It is up to the generosity of the people of the United States to assist in, so far as they are able, to liquidate the huge war debt that has been contracted. In previous drives for thrift stamp sales, the boys and girls of the public schools have been among the main sponsors. As a stimulus to work in this direction, Junior Rainbow Regiments have been formed of the first 1000 boys and girls who have sold fifty dollars worth of stamps. Five of these regiments have already been formed and a sixth is now in process of formation. Any boy or girl, who has sold fifty dollars' worth of stamps since October 1, is privileged to become a member of the Sixth Junior Rainbow Regiment. Superintendent J. A. Churchill states that the names for this last drive have been arriving slowly and urges that boys and girls be stimulated with the necessity of increased endeavor.

## FUNERAL HELD FRIDAY.

Mrs. Opal Bodie, whose husband, Glenn Bodie, died at Fort Warden, Wash., Tuesday, will arrive here with the body tonight on the 9:15 train. The funeral will occur at the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and Rev. Quick will conduct the services.

M. L. Norris and family, who have lived north of the city for some time, are leaving for Applegate, Josephine county, where they will make their future home.

## BURLESON URGING RATES BE RAISED

### Asks Oregon Public Service to Consider Requests Regularly Filed.

## FAVORS WAGE INCREASE

### Fears Interruption of Service—Indiana Senator Alleges Wilson Took Over Cables Purpose Suppressing Peace News.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—That Postmaster General Burleson, will urge the adoption of the proposed increase of telephone rates in Oregon is indicated in the telegram sent to the Oregon Public Service commission today, in which he asks the commission to consider the new schedule of increased rates of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company as regularly filed, so that there may be no interruption of service or loss to the government, and that the employees shall not be deprived of a wage increase.

## ABRAHAM WILSON.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Senator Watson, of Indiana, republican, threw the gaff into the president today in a vehement speech, in which he alleged the Atlantic cables had been taken over by the administration, so that news of what was discussed at the coming peace conference could be censored and suppressed from the American public.

## HELD IN CITY JAIL.

The fellow alleged to have robbed the Rapp rooming house yesterday, and who gives his name as Burton, is being held in the city jail and will probably be turned over to the county authorities for prosecution. He was arrested by Marshal Shambrook while loitering around the depot grounds and has admitted a part of the robbery to the local officer. The watch he had stolen he slipped into a cuspidor, but some of the money taken was found upon his person. The fellow is a bad character, according to Marshal Shambrook and should be given a thorough investigation.

## THOSE PARCEL LABELS.

The nearest relative of any member of the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe, not receiving a Christmas parcel label by November 21, or in case such label is lost, may obtain a Christmas parcel label for sending such a parcel by applying to the local Red Cross receiving station. Parcels to which such labels are affixed will be accepted by postmasters up to and including November 30.

## HOLD BUSINESS SESSION.

The Fullerton School Parent-Teacher Association will hold a business meeting at the schoolhouse in West Roseburg, Friday, November 2, at 7:30 p. m. All members and patrons are urged to be present. By order of the president.

## J. O. NEWLAND.

J. O. Newland, who has been seriously ill with influenza, has sufficiently recovered to be able to attend to his business in a minor way.