

Northwest News

Portland, Ore., July 13.—The Pacific coast is going crazy faster than any other section of the country.

This is shown by an article in July number of Mental Hygiene, the quarterly magazine of the National Committee for Mental Hygiene, published in New York City.

Washington has a place near the top in the list of states. The yearly rate of increase of insane persons in Washington for each 100,000 persons

between 1904 and 1910 was 2.63, while since 1910 it has been 5.35.

Less dread of institutions and consequent admission of milder cases, accumulation of chronic cases, rapid growth of cities and additional institutional provision for the insane in some states are believed to be the cause of the increase of admission into state hospitals for the insane. Only five states in the nation show a decrease.

North Yakima, Wash., July 13.—The cherry season is at its height today. One hundred carloads of cherries will be shipped from this district this year.

Montana's War School.

Missoula, Mont., July 13.—(United Press)—The annual summer session of the University of Montana has become a war school.

Young women in first aid classes are learning how to set broken bones, bandage wounds and apply first-aid treatment.

Sanitary conditions, theoretical and practical are being taught the young women.

Men students are much interested in drills, but the enrollment of men has been reduced from the usual number by enlistments.

Editors At Pendleton.

Pendleton, Ore., July 13.—With the war noticeably affecting the program, the annual convention of the Oregon State Editorial association opened here today. Editors and publishers from every part of the state are gathered here.

Among the speakers this morning were Clarke Leiter, of the La Grande Observer; Charles H. Fisher, of the Salem Capital Journal; Edgar Piper, of the Portland Oregonian; W. D. McWaters, manager of the Pacific Paper company, Portland, and Joseph P. Hurley, of the Forest Grove News-Times. J. V. Tellman, president of the Pendleton Commercial club welcomed the visiting editors and President E. E. Brodie, of the Oregon City Enterprise,

responded on behalf of the association.

Cecil W. Robey, editor of the Oregon City Courier, opened this afternoon's program with a talk on "What Do You Get for Your Printing."

Portland, Ore., July 13.—(United Press)—The annual northwest junior tennis championship opened here today with all northwestern cities represented. The winner will probably be sent to New York as the Pacific northwest representative in the sectional championships of the United States. Proceeds from the matches today and tomorrow will be used to defray the winner's expenses east. The New York tournament will probably be held in August.

How They Do In Spain.

Shippers in this country have reason to congratulate themselves that Government measures to lessen the freight car congestion are only of a persuasive nature. In Spain they do things rather differently. There, according to a U. S. consular report the freight stations are loaded with merchandise shipments. In order to relieve the congestion the Government has authorized the railroads to sell at auction all merchandise not withdrawn by the consignee in five days from the date of its arrival at destination.

THE FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE—THE U. S. NAVY. Some of the officers under Sec. Daniels.



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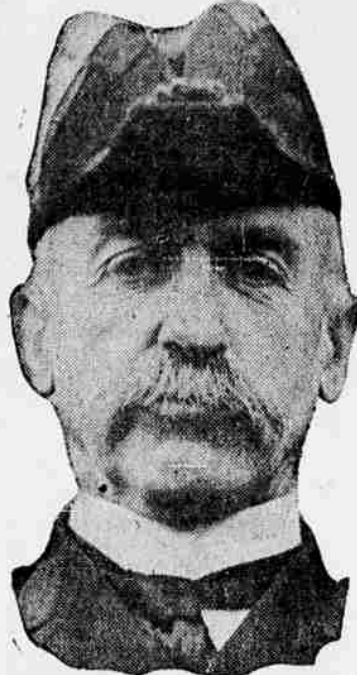


Photo by American Press Association. Rear Admiral William S. Benson, Chief of Naval Operations.



Major General George Barnett, Commander of the Marine Corps.



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