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tained.

ing has taken place, but with the re-sults beclouded. The Serbs in the Lake Ostrov region are declared by Paris to have made appreciable progress, while Berlin and Sofia mention gains for neither side. On the front where Sofia asserts the r-attacked, our gains were main- ing to Vienna,

termined upon an evolution of the war along these lines. The Germanic empires find themselves reduced to the defensive. The Initiative of the opera-tions has escaped them." After a reference to the natural rea-sons for Roumanian intervention, Pre-mire Briand referred to the army at Saloniki as follows:

NEW FIRE OFFICE CREATED

Position of Second Lieutenant Will

Give Authority.

Firemen on the civil service eligible list for promotion to fire lieutenants are to be made second lieutenants with-out additional pay, in accordance with

but they could not make them tell. For the efforts they mustered every avail-able man. The last significant feature of the fighting was the fact that the Germans transferred a division from

With the exception of small gains around Ginchy, the British forces north of the Somme have been inactive. Lon-don does not believe that this lull will continue much longer. With the Ger-man line battered by the repeated French blows, the time has come for the British to renew the attack. Before Hair can hone for success in

"We captured some German prisoners and a number of machine guns."

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an October speaking tour was being arranged for Mr. Taft.

RUSSIAN PLANE BOMBARDS

Giant Murometz Machine Destroys

Eight German Attackers.

LONDON. Sept. 14.—A Reuter dis-patch from Petrograd says that four matz type bombarded a German sea-plane station on Lake Angern, in the Guif of Riga, where 17 seaplanes of various sizes and models were dis-cerned. The Russian dropped 73 bombs, with resultant fire and smoke which concealed the seaplane sheds. Eight German machines attacked the Russian machines, but were put to flight. Not less than eight German machines were destroyed or put out of turned safely, notwithstanding they

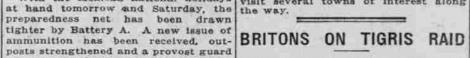
action. The Russian aeroplanes re-turned safely, notwithstanding they were shelled by anti-aircraft guns. On a previous occasion, the corre-spendent says, one Muromstz machine, with a crew of five, routed seven Ger-man scaplanes which attacked it.

reciprocal artillery and infantry firing yesterday near Lake Ostrovo. In the Moglenica region there was increased Cabinet to succeed that of M. Zaimis.

emergency that might arise at this Patrols are being undertaken with new vigilance. Late this afternoon the men were lined up and instructed in the proper manner of handling the new .45 automatic pistols that have been

selves particularly, knowing more than anyone else the sacrifice each has made for the service. RUM RULES OVER BORDER

CALEXICO, Cal., Sept. 14 .-- (Special.) -With the Mexican national holidays



ammunition has been received, outputs strengthened and a provost guard of one man from each unit stationed of the year business of every kind. Shorting at frays are common occurrences, and the interst interst in ordinary times a place to be treaded with care, become almost treated to archool, among them being a lad from Granger, Wash, 19 years of intoxicated humanity.
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QUALITY OF EXHIBITS SAID TO BE HIGHER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Races Eliminated for First Time and Entertainment Features Are

Less Numerous.

ROSEBURG, Or., Sept. 14.—(Special.) —Quality is the predominating factor in this year's county fair exhibits and Y. M. C. A. Quarters Razed. The Y. M. C. A. quarters here are being razed. The piano has been re-moved and the restroom in the center of the almost-deserted encampment of the Washington Guardsmen soon will be removed. The men of the hatter the Washington Guardsmen soon will be removed. The men of the battery amuse themselves with the various games there. When Captain Helme learned that the restroom was to close he attempted the rental of the piano for the battery and its quartet, but his negotiations falled. Lieutenants Stevens and Hays leave early tomorrow on pass to visit San Diego for a few days. They pian to visit several towns of interest along the way. cially in fruits and vegetables, while the grains and grasses are less profuse-

four competitive exhibits in the big tent especially provided for this pur-pose. The granges represented are: Rescue, of Looking Glass; Evergreen, of Green; Melrose and South Dear Creek, The Glendale and Yoncalla ex-hibits at their local fairs were not brought here, because the people there are in the midst of their prune har-vest

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The showing made by the industrial clubs of the public schools of the county is universally pronounced the largest and best ever shown in this county.

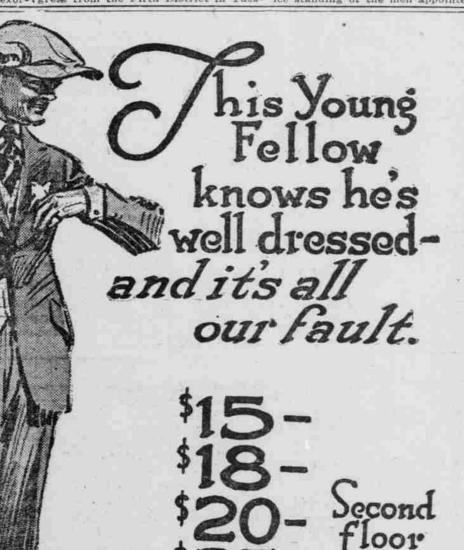
The fair began Wednesday morning and will continue until Friday night. This year's event is unlike many fairs held previously in Douglas County, for the reason that the races and many of the entertainment features have been eliminated.

Beaux Sweeps Streets.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 8.—A dispatch received this week stated that a num-ber of young society men of Chihua-hua City have been sentenced by Act-ing Governor Trevino to serve as street sweepers for 20 days. They were found guilty of disturbing the night's rest of the household of the father of Gov-ernor Ignacio Enriques while serenad-ing the town after a dance. Governor Enriques is in Mexico City.

Liner Counselor Is Sunk.

LONDON, Sept. 14.-The Harrison liner Counselor, 4958 tons gross, has been sunk. Her crew was saved.





ROSEBURG, Or., Sept. 14.—(Special.) —After a search covering many months, Sheriff George Quine yester-day arrested Claud Hendricks, a South-ern Douglas County miner, on a charge of burglarizing the store of the Riddle Hardware Company at Riddle nearly a year ago. Two guns and other ar-ticles taken from the store were found in his cabin. How Men Are on Edge. Oddfellows' Head in Klamath. KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Sept. 14.— (Special.)—Henry S. Westbrook, grand master of the jurisdiction of Oregon at such times have been supplanted by real ammunition. In fact, every nghting force is on edge to meet any week.

Mexican Holidays Cause Tense Feeling at Calexico.