

WOMEN'S WORK RELIEVES WOMEN PENSIONERS

New Industries Reduce Number of Dependents.

PRESIDENT TO SIGN BILL

About 11,000 Acres Will Be Added to Bull Run Watershed.

Director of Mothers' Aid Bureau of Juvenile Court Tells of Progress Toward Independence.

PROOF THAT PORTLAND'S WAR-WINNING INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY HAS MATERIALLY BENEFITED PORTLAND WOMEN WHO ARE TAKING PLACES VACATED BY MEN WHO HAVE GONE TO WAR, IS GIVEN IN A REPORT MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY BY MRS. JESSIE E. LANDINGHAM, DIRECTOR OF THE MOTHERS' AID BUREAU OF THE JUVENILE COURT.

September Showing Favorable.

For the month of September the number of women receiving aid from the widows' pension bureau was smaller than at any time since the law went into effect in 1915. There are now 146 families being assisted at a monthly cost to the county of \$2822. In January, 1917, there were 210 women receiving aid, at a monthly cost of \$19,000.

One reason why the number of women receiving aid is now smaller than ever before is because the new marital-law law of June 1917 bars alien women. The number of these, however, does not compare with the number of women who have become self-sustaining.

"The fact that these 24 families have become self-supporting indicates the good the movement is doing in keeping families together instead of placing the children in institutions," says Mrs. Landingham in her report.

Problem Serious for Some.

The increased cost of living is proving a serious problem for most of the mothers who are receiving aid. For instance, a certain amount of milk is required in homes where there are small children, and the rapidly increasing prices make it difficult for them to obtain the amount necessary for the health of the children.

Investigation by the bureau shows that most of those receiving aid are from lumber walks of life. In 47

cases, however, investigators for the department found that where insurance of more than \$500 was left by the father at the time of his death the families were defrauded of this and even greater sums by unscrupulous persons who took advantage of the women.

Of the women who are either wholly or partially self-sustaining, 127 are doing domestic work, 30 are working as seamstresses, 10 working in factories, 8 as janitresses, 4 as nurses, 5 as clerks and 19 in sundries.

Assurance that President Wilson soon would sign the McArthur-McNary bill for adding to the Bull Run reserve, making it a law, have been received by Commissioner Mann from Representative McArthur, joint author of the bill.

The bill, which adds more than 11,000 acres to the Bull Run watershed, from which Portland gets its mountain water supply, was introduced nearly a year ago in both houses of Congress by Mr. McArthur and Senator Charles McNary.

The land added to the reserve formerly was a part of the Oregon & California land grant, which is being homesteaded by the Government.

AUTO DRIVER IS JAILED

Scott McKellar Runs Car Into Front of Portland Garage.

Scott McKellar was fined \$350 and sentenced to four months in jail yesterday by Municipal Judge Rosman, after he had been convicted of driving an automobile while intoxicated. His machine ran into the front of a garage at 475 Williams avenue, damaging the building and the car.

GUARD OFFICERS SELECTED

Important Appointments Announced by Adjutant-General Beebe.

Important appointments and promotions of Oregon National Guard officers were announced yesterday by Adjutant-General Beebe. Dates when the new ranks become effective follow:

Frederick H. Drake, to be Major, Judge Advocate-General's department, September 1, 1918. Captain William C. Coplan, Quartermaster Corps, to be Major, Quartermaster Corps, transferred; George P. Koehler, to be Captain, Medical Corps, with rank from October 1, 1917. Captain W. C. Coffey, to be Captain, Quartermaster Corps, with rank from this date, vice William M. Coplan, promoted.

Naval Aviator Gets Missing.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Lieutenant Artemus L. Gates, naval aviator and former captain of the Tulsa football team, has been missing since October 4, the Navy Department has been advised by Vice-Admiral Sims.

OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST

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Age of accidents and other causes 3,848 24 9,912

Total deaths 16,419 61 16,480

Wounded 28,225 144 28,409

Missing, including prisoners 8,711 13 8,724

Total casualties 44,435 218 44,653

In this list of 44,653 names of men from Oregon, Washington or Idaho appear.

Following is the complete list:

KILLED IN ACTION.

AKINSON, Albert, Depue, Mo. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

ALLEN, Ernest P., Greenfield, Pa. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

ANDERSON, William, Greenfield, Pa. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

ARMSTRONG, Arthur, Cleveland, O. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

BOYER, Charles E., Greenfield, Pa. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

BRENNAN, Frank, Trenton, Pa. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

BRODSKY, Philip, Brooklyn, N. Y. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

BRADWALL, Arthur W., West Lehigh, Pa. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

CHAMBERS, Joseph C., New York. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

CHAPMAN, William, New York. B. 1891. F. 1918. F. 1918. F. 1918.

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Artistic Picture Framing to Order, 4th Floor—Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and Draperies, 3d Floor—Tea Room on the Fourth Floor. We Are Portland Agency for Gossard, Nemo, Bien Jolie, Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets—Ohio Electric Suction Cleaners.

Shop Early! —The Government urges you to do this as a war conservation measure. This store is prepared to serve you promptly. Holiday stocks are now at their best.

The Standard Store of the Northwest Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

Send Kodak Pictures to soldiers and sailors in the service. Eastman Kodaks, Cameras and supplies of all kinds. —Department on Fourth Floor.

Saving 2 1/2" Stamps Is Real Economy! —These little green stamps cost you absolutely nothing and are given as a means of showing our appreciation for your generous patronage. Filled stamp books are redeemed in cash at the S. & H. Stamp office on the Fourth Floor.

Women's Winter Coats Latest Styles in Women's Silk Petticoats At \$3.98—Beautiful new wide assortment of shades to go with the new suits and dresses. Excellent quality taffetas, messalines and silk jersey. Extra good values. Thursday at only \$3.98. At \$5.00—Silk Jersey Petticoats with taffeta flounces, silk messaline and silk jersey. At this price we show several pretty styles. Plain colors and new stripes and plaids. Extra good value at \$5.00. At \$6.75—You may choose new styles in taffetas, silk jersey and messaline. Full assortment of the wanted plain colors. Pleated and ruffled effects. Great values—choice at only \$6.75.

Halloween Novelties THERE is no festival of the year that appeals to fun-loving folks more than "All Saints' Eve." When the goblins and witches are abroad playing their pranks, then is the time to make merry at home. Here you will find all the new games, novelties and decorations for the occasion in greatest assortment. —Stationery Dept., Main Floor.

Make Furniture Look Like New. TYKNU POLISH Special Demonstration Third Floor. —Furniture, pianos, hardwood floors, automobiles and all highly polished surfaces restored to original brilliancy at trifling cost. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

Shoe Shining Specials Fancy Shoes Dyed Black—45c Light Tan Dyed Brown—65c —THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY the Basement Shoe Shining Parlor quotes special low prices on dyeing of shoes. Bring in your fancy shoes and have them made serviceable for Winter wear. Fancy shoes dyed black 45c—light tan shoes dyed brown, 65c.

Children's Coats 40c Coffee 29c lb. Second Floor—Good warm Coats in all the newest styles and materials for children 2 to 14 years of age. Priced \$5.98 to \$36.50. Fourth Floor—No delivery except with other purchases made in the Grocery Dept.; 40c OWK Imperial Roast Coffee, lb. 29c.

Oregon-Made Brooms 98c Third Floor—These Brooms are well worth \$1.25. Economical housewives will see to it that their orders are in early, for the quantity is very limited. Other Oregon-made Brooms, ranging in price from \$1.50 up to \$2.50.

Women's \$8.50 Boots At \$5.98 Main Floor—Women's high-grade Boots of gray and Havana brown kid with tops of fabric to match; 8 1/2 inches high. Made on the wanted narrow toe last with imitation tip, military heel of medium height. A splendid fitting Boot. All sizes, but in widths A and C only. Regular \$8.50 Boots, on sale Thurs- \$5.98 day and Friday, pair \$5.98. —SPECIAL FOR BOYS—Broken line Boys' Buttoned Shoes of gun-metal leather; well made and durable. Standard \$4.75 \$2.98.

BRITISH FREIGHTER IS SUNK PORT PHILIP COLLIDES WITH AMERICAN WARSHIP. Accident Occurs in New York Harbor; Crew of Fifty Men Picked Up by Revenue Cutter. NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The British freight steamer Port Philip, outbound, was sunk in a collision with a United States war vessel off Swinburne Island in the lower bay this forenoon. The Port Philip's crew of 50 men were saved. The survivors were landed by a revenue cutter. The bow of the Navy vessel which collided with the freighter was reported to have been damaged. The Port Philip was a vessel of 75 feet of water. HOBOKEN, N. J., Oct. 16.—Two sailors reported missing after the Army transport America sank yesterday at her pier here have not reported. Opinion was expressed that they were drowned. LONDON, Oct. 16.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—A woman's hand mirror was the means of saving 50 lives from the torpedoed liner Galway Castle. Among the survivors on a raft was a woman who took from her handbag a small mirror and suggested one of the sailors use it for making heliographic signals. The attempt was made and the signal brought up a destroyer at full speed. FATHER SUES FOR \$15,000 Boy's Death Basis of Action in Clatsop County Court. ASTORIA, Oct. 16.—(Special.)—Seeking to recover damages in the sum of \$15,000 for the death of his 7-year-old son, Chumnie J. Lavitt, a suit was filed in the Circuit Court today by James E. Lavitt against H. H. Zapf and A. J. Jallof. The complaint recites that on June 22, 1918, an automobile owned by Jallof and driven by Zapf ran over and fatally injured the boy. The complaint charges that the automobile cut the corner of Eighth and Duane streets, went on the left side of the street and was running at the rate of from 20 to 25 miles an hour, all in violation of the ordinances of the city of Astoria.

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IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS Says Backache Is Sign You Have Been Eating Too Much Meat. INFLUENZA IS SPREADING Persons Weak and Run Down Easy Victims—Fortify Yourself Against It by Taking Tanlac. According to late reports issued by the Federal Public Health authorities, the Spanish influenza epidemic is rapidly spreading to all parts of the country, and it now seems that practically every state in the Union will be seriously affected before it runs its course. It has not only become a great and terrifying menace to the public health, but unless checked it is apt to seriously affect the progress of war work in all its various departments. Already the Shipping Board has announced that 10 per cent of its workers had been affected. The disease has made its greatest progress in the East, where it has claimed its victims by the thousands. Reports from other sections, however, are equally alarming, and both civil and military authorities have warned the public to take every precaution to prevent its further spread. In many places, schools, churches and theaters have been closed and public gatherings of all kinds forbidden. Medical authorities agree that people who are weak and run down are the earliest victims of the influenza epidemic. If you find yourself tired, weak generally, nervous, and in a subnormal condition, or if you are in a catch cold easily this warning should be heeded promptly. You are really in great danger, because the germ of this disease is very catching and you are in contact with the germ if you come in contact with the germ. People who are well and strong are not likely to contract the disease because they are able to throw it off. The common-sense way to keep from taking it is to fortify the system against attack by building up the constitution. In other words, to use the old adage, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." And if you are in a subnormal condition the proper thing to do is to begin immediately to build up your powers of resistance. To accomplish this nothing on earth will strengthen you and build you up like Tanlac, the powerful reconstructive medicine needed by the system to give you fighting strength and ward off the influenza germ. First of all, Tanlac begins its action by creating a good healthy appetite for wholesome, nourishing food, and assists every organ of the body to perform its natural functions, thus helping to build up health and strength in the natural way. Tanlac is also the ideal strengthening tonic for persons who are suffering from the after effects of influenza, grippe or bronchial troubles, and hundreds of thousands are using it daily with the most gratifying results. In connection with the Tanlac treatment it is necessary to keep the bowels open by taking Tanlac Laxative Tablets, samples of which are included with every bottle of Tanlac. It is also important that the every-day rules of hygiene be observed; that is, sleep in well-ventilated rooms, get plenty of fresh air and exercise and keep away from crowds. Tanlac is sold in Portland by the Owl Drug Co.—Adv.

STOMACH UPSET? Pape's Diapiesin at Once Ends Dyspepsia, Acidity, Gas, Indigestion. Your meals hit back! Your stomach is sour, acid, gassy and you feel bloated after eating or you have heavy lumps of indigestion pain or headache, but never mind. Here is instant relief. Don't stay upset! Eat a tablet of Pape's Diapiesin and immediately the indigestion, gas, acidity and all stomach distress ends. Pape's Diapiesin tablets are the strongest, quickest stomach relievers in the world. They cost very little at drug stores.—Adv.

HUN SURRENDER IS GOAL Governor Lister Opposed to Peace of German Making. Governor Ernest Lister, of Washington, a visitor in Portland yesterday to consult with Brigadier-General Bruce P. Disque, with reference to production of airplane materials, declared that sentiment in his state is practically unanimous for continuing the war until unconditional surrender of Germany is forced. "Only through unconditional surrender," said Governor Lister, "which we certainly are going to be able to attain through military strength if not otherwise, can the principles for which we are fighting be permanently and firmly established for the world." Governor Lister departed for Olympia late yesterday. Phone your want ads to The Oregonian. Main 7076, A 5095.

SNEEZING HELP TO BABIES Violators of Health Regulations Contribute to Mercy Fund. Several dollars have been sneezed into a Belgian babies' milk bottle over in the office of McCargy, Bates & Lively, local insurance agents, and nowadays every time one of the employees of the company wants to sneeze he or she tries to think twice before it is done. In other words, the employees, anxious to safeguard the health of the force of workers, have put a premium on sneezing. The person who is so unfortunate as to emit an audible sneeze must contribute to the milk bottle. So the sneezer during these influenza times is in bad both ways.

Stevens Funeral is Held Northwest Pioneers Pay Last Tribute to Departed General. OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special.)—With officers and prominent men of the Northwest in attendance, funeral services for the late General Stevens were held today at the Stevens home in Olympia. Professor Edmond S. Meany, of the University of Washington, delivered the eulogy and the Episcopal burial service was conducted by Rev. R. Franklin Hart, of Olympia. The active pallbearers were Major Richard Stevens Eskridge, of Portland; Pierre P. Ferry, of Seattle; Edmond S. Meany, of Seattle; W. P. Bonney, of Tacoma; P. M. Troy and L. B. Faulkner, of Olympia. The body will be sent to Newport, R. I., for burial. Physician En Route to Camp. Dr. E. B. Stewart, formerly member of the firm of Drs. Seely, Sother & Stewart, of Roseburg, arrived here yesterday en route to Camp Lewis, where he has been commissioned in the medical department of the United States Army. Dr. Sether also expects to enter Army service within the next few days, having been assigned to the 10th Mountain Division, which will soon be issued by the War Department. Nursing Mothers There is nourishment for two in Borden's Malted Milk. It builds up your own vitality and increases Nature's food supply for the little one. Easy to digest—in fact, already partially predigested, Pure, palatable, invigorating. Borden's Malted Milk. Stevens Funeral is Held Northwest Pioneers Pay Last Tribute to Departed General. OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special.)—With officers and prominent men of the Northwest in attendance, funeral services for the late General Stevens were held today at the Stevens home in Olympia. Professor Edmond S. Meany, of the University of Washington, delivered the eulogy and the Episcopal burial service was conducted by Rev. R. Franklin Hart, of Olympia. The active pallbearers were Major Richard Stevens Eskridge, of Portland; Pierre P. Ferry, of Seattle; Edmond S. Meany, of Seattle; W. P. Bonney, of Tacoma; P. M. Troy and L. B. Faulkner, of Olympia. The body will be sent to Newport, R. I., for burial. Physician En Route to Camp. Dr. E. B. Stewart, formerly member of the firm of Drs. Seely, Sother & Stewart, of Roseburg, arrived here yesterday en route to Camp Lewis, where he has been commissioned in the medical department of the United States Army. Dr. Sether also expects to enter Army service within the next few days, having been assigned to the 10th Mountain Division, which will soon be issued by the War Department. Nursing Mothers There is nourishment for two in Borden's Malted Milk. It builds up your own vitality and increases Nature's food supply for the little one. Easy to digest—in fact, already partially predigested, Pure, palatable, invigorating. Borden's Malted Milk. Good Food —and a food that fits these saving times— Grape-Nuts Needs no sugar. Bluhill pimento cheese is by far better than beefsteak.

PHYSICALLY FIT AT ANY AGE It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit. Watch the kidneys. The kidneys are the most overworked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes, look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease. One of the first warnings of sluggish kidney action is pain or stiffness in the small of the back, high colored or scanty urine, loss of appetite, indigestion or rheumatism. Do not wait until the danger is upon you. At the first indication of trouble go after the cause at once. Go to your medical adviser. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haaren Oil Capsules, imported direct from the laboratories in Holland where they have been in use for over two hundred years. They will give almost immediate relief. If you are not satisfied, your money will be refunded. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. None other is genuine. In sealed boxes, three sizes.—Adv. SKINDON DRUG CO. OWL DRUG CO.