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HARD FIGHT ASSURED IN FAST WASHINGTON

Neither Party Counts Coming Battle Easy One.

DEMOCRATS MORE ACTIVE

Republicans Thus Far Not Sending Out Much Campaign Literature, According to Reports.

-Though the Democrats are conduct-

ing a campaign for the three Western Washington seats in the lower house of Congress, everybody who has anything to do with politics knows that the big fight is centered in the Fourth and Fifth districts, in Eastern Washington. The National and Congressional com-

are lending every possible and. Before the declaration of war and in the early stages of preparation, Con-gressman W. L. LaFollette, Republican, of the Fourth, and C. C. Dill, Democrat, of the Fifth District, were pronounced pacifists. LaFollette never entirely recovered, but Dill subsequently sup-ported the Administration programme. But, as prominent Democrats of the Spokane, or Fifth District, have point-ed out repeatedly, he never publicly re-nounced his early errors or attempted fully to atome for them. LaFollette was defeated by Dr. John W. Summers, of Walla Walla, on his was record, but Dill was too strong for T. V. Tustin, the candidate of the 100 per cent Americanism Democrats, to diefeat. So the issue was passed along to the general election to be fought out between Dill and Judge J. Stanley Webster, the radical pro-war Republi-can nominee.

Dill's Pacifism Factor.

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in the southeastern corner of his dis-trict, but is not so well known on the west end, where Austin Mires, of El-lensburg, was a candidate against him

west end, where Austin Mires, of El-lensburg, was a candidate against him in the primaries. However, the entire Mires organization has been thrown into the fight to aid Summers, and un-questionably is giving him loyal sup-port. Whether the LaPolletie people will follow this example is an open description. Inasmuch as LaFollette and McCroskey both hall from Whitman County it is probable that many of the Whitman County LaFollette sup-porters will swing over to McCroskey. At least, that is feared in political. **Tests Following Aroused**. The Democratic faction that resented to prepare for his defeat could not find the type of candidate to win with. They into that the state administration was in sympathy with this effort. When the the it did so with an open admission the it dide so with a sole admission the it dide so with an o

eral arteries of communication, has been cut. The west bank of the Scheidt Canal has been occupied by the British for 10 miles to the north of Tournal, which ally is being defended by Germans with hine guns.

Belgium is gradually being redeemed, although, now that the Germans have drawn in their lines, the British, Beldrawn in their lines, the British, Bel-gians and French are encountering much stiffer opposition than during the early days of the great drive. The city of Ghent, an objective which the allies have always had in mind, is yet seven miles away. Probably it will be out-flanked from the north before it is taken. Allied troops already have made considerable progress with this end in view. view

Having cleared the Germans out of standing on a line from the Dutch frontier to the Olse Canal that is virtually straight. A new movement has begun to the east of Courtral, the ob-ject of which is to free the northern section of Belgium from the enemy.

French troops have reached the Danube River in the region of Vidin after offensive operations in the eastern the-ater of the war lasting more than a month

> The economic independence of Hungary is to be proclaimed at an early date in a manifesto which it is reported will be issued by Emperor Charles. Hungary will be permitted to maintain her own army and her own diplomatic



TRAINING FOR COMMISSION RE-SULTS IN INFLUENZA.

Day Labor in Shipyards and Drilling at Night at Vancouver Barracks Ends Fatally.

Spanish influenza, contracted by working overtime to make himself a ompetent soldier and officer, caused



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TURK ANXIOUS FOR PEACE future production of these men was and is survived by a son, John Heitshu, a Portland bank official.

RETENTION OF CAPITAL AS A FREE PORT DESIRED.

Autonomy for Arabia, Syria, Armenia and Jewish Zone Sug-

gested an Desirable.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 21.—The correspondent at Constantinople of the Weser Zeitung of Bremen, says it must be ad-mitted that public opinion for some time past has favored a separate peace for Turkey. This view underwent a change as a result of Prince Maxi-milian's speech in the Reichstag, which also strengthened the position of the party of Union and Progress. Proposals now are being discussed, the correspondent continues, for 'a ref-ormation in Turkey, according to which Constantinople would become a free port and the fortifications of the Dar-

BELGIAN BILL HUGE ONE

Germans During War.

Fewer Telephone Calls Asked. TACOMA, Wash, Oct. 21.-(Special.) -Appeal is made to Tacomans to use the telephone less. So swamped has

the system become that it is impos-sible to answer the calls. With the coming of the Spanish influenza epi-demic the telephone load grew greater. Then many operators became ill and no substitutes for them could be found.

The whole condition caused a break-ing down of the service. John Schlarb, manager for the company, issued an appeal through the newspapers to use the telephones as little as possible and thus maintain service to some extent.

Father of John Heitshu Dies.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.-(Special.)

-Samuel Heitshu, of this city, died on he train en route to San Francisco from the East today. His body was taken from the train at Roseville and shipped to Placer County. Death is believed to have hear caused by heart disease are

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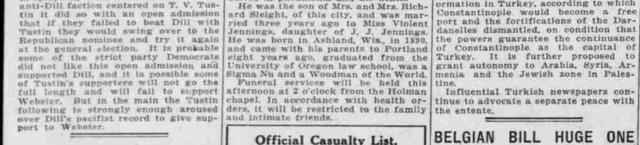
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AGED HOMESTEADER GONE

Residents of Siletz Valley Fear Foul

Play Has Been Met.

SALEM, Or., Oot 21.-(Special.)-Ed Frazier, storekeeper at Orton, in the Siletz Valley, came into Salem today with the story of the disappearance of J. Martin, aged homesteader, who lives in a lonely section in the heart of that lonely valley. It is believed that Martin has met with foul play. Mr. Frazier states that Mr. Martin, who lived by himself, carried a quan-tity of gold in a money belt about his aist, and that one of his hobbies was what, and that one of his hoobies was to collect gold ploces wherever pos-sible. He also had an aversion to banks. People in the Siletz Valley be-lleve that Martin has been murdered. He dropped out of sight more than two weeks ago.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.-The can-Items Show Heavy Tribute Laid by ualties for publication this afternumber 384, classified as follows: Killed in action, 72; missing in action,

Official Casualty List.

LONDON, via Montreal, Oct. 21. me of the items which figure on Ger-54; wounded, degree undetermined, 87; died of disease, 31; died of wounds, 12; wounded severely, 321; slightly wounded, 307. many's bill in Belgium are given as follows from an official Belgian source: "Local contributions and fines levied by Germany on Belgium in 1914, f8,-Following is the tabulated summary: 000,000.

"War contributions from November, "War contributions from November, 1914, to October, 1916, £38,400,000. "War contributions, seven months, to May, 1917, £14,000,000. "War contributions from May, 1917,

to May, 1918, f28,800,000. "War contributions, from June to October of the current year, f15,000,000. "Raw materials and machinery taken

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