40,000 SEE FLYERS AT WALLA WALLA

Three Local Men Are Taken Aloft in Machines.

AVIATORS ARE FATIGUED

Six Machines in Air at Time Perform Stunts and Engage in Aerial Sham Battle.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 20.—(Special.)—Forty thousand people this afternoon saw six airplanes go through evolutions for half an hour above the city. Fatigue from their long journey and previous flights and a desire on the part of the aviators to rest as much as possible were responsible for the fact that 11 aviators did not take the air, according to their commander, Lieutenant-Colonel William Thaw did not fly. The pilot in each case was a lieutenant.

The planes dropped thousands of liberty loan heralds, looped the loop, tried barrel rolls, nose spins, Immelmann dives and other aerial acrobat stunts. Six planes were in the air at once. There were three bombing planes and three faster machines. An aerial battle was a feature, the planes spinning, diving and flying over and under each other to avoid imaginary bullets. While three planes were looping the loop and performing other feats simultaneously three others over another part of the city were doing solo stunts.

Walla Wallans who were taken aloft in the machines before the programme started were W. W. Baker, of Baker & Baker, and J. M. Ross, of Ross & Brown. The pilot made a straight flight with Mr. Baker, passing over the city. The aviator who took Mr. Ross up in the air gave him some dips and twists to remember the experience. Mr. Ross described the flight as less exciting than driving an auto 60 miles an hour. Frank W. Tierney, of the Tierney Toner company, was the third Walla Wallan making a flight.

The aviators left for Portland tonight.

ELEVEN COUNTIES FINISHED

Reports to State Director Show Quotas Completed.

Eleven counties are definitely victorious in the victory liberty loan drive, having completed their quotas early yesterday, according to reports made to John L. Etheridge, state director of organization. They are Clackamas, Coos, Douglas, Grant, Josephine, Polk, Marion, Sherman, Union, Washington and Yamhill.

None of the pledged counties promised to make official return before 9 o'clock this morning, and Director Etheridge is sanguine that many of the pledged 27, in addition to the 11 already reporting, will have their victory messages on the wire early today.

"This is going to be the swiftest campaign that Oregon ever witnessed," declared Director Etheridge late last night. "It will establish a record for speed and thoroughness. The state at large has never been so well organized."

The 11 completed counties, with their principal town districts and quotas, are as follows:

Clackamas—	
Canby	$ 48,150
Estacada	17,775
Milwaukie	29,023
Molalla	19,250
Oregon City	262,575
Sandy	11,925
Wilsonville	12,150
Clackamas Quota	$ 400,950
Amount subscribed	$ 400,950
Coos county—	
Bandon	$ 61,405
Coquille	55,000
Marshfield	231,030
Myrtle Point	42,450
North Bend	67,470
Powers	12,800
Coos county quota	471,825
Subscribed	471,825
Douglas county—	
Drain	$ 32,150
Gardner	42,750
Glendale	11,250
Myrtle Creek	13,950
Oakland	80,100
Riddle	9,450
Roseburg	230,700
Sutherlin	14,175
Yoncalla	9,675
Douglascounty quota	439,200
Subscribed	439,200
Grant county—	
Austin	$ 2,000
Canyon City	12,000
Dayville	2,000
Fox	2,000
Galena	1,000
Granite	2,000
Hamilton	4,000
Ivor	7,000
John Day	15,600
Long Creek	8,000
Monument	8,000
Vernon	6,000
Prairie City	15,000
Ritter	3,000
Seneca	3,000
Silvies	2,000
Grant county quota	99,000
Subscribed	99,000
Josephine county—	
Grants Pass	146,700
Josephine county quota	146,700
Marion county—	
Aumsville	$ 9,750
Aurora	24,250
Donald	7,550
Gervais	19,800
Gervais	10,800
Hubbard	18,250
Monitor	11,000
Mount Angel	41,000
Salem	820,150
Silverton	142,150
Stayton	31,100
St. Paul	10,750
Turner	7,650
Woodburn	71,800
Marion county quota	1,220,500
Subscribed	1,220,500
Polk county—	
Dallas	$ 81,350
Falls City	14,625
Independence	83,475
Monmouth	32,400
Polk county quota	194,850
Subscribed	194,850
Sherman county—	
Grass Valley	$ 26,725
Morrow	43,875
Wasco	47,700
Sherman county quota	118,350
Subscribed	118,350
Union county—	
Cove	$ 9,450
Elgin	32,975
Imbler	19,350
La Grande	268,875
North Powder	12,375
Union county quota	344,025
Subscribed	344,025
Washington county—	
Banks	$ 16,650
Beaverton	20,025
Cornelius	13,750
Forest Grove	120,450
Gaston	18,225
Hillsboro	188,325
Sherwood	19,250
Washington county quota	404,475
Yamhill county—	
Amity	$ 13,475
Alton	18,000
Sheaton	17,350
Lafayette	7,650
McMinnville	240,300
Newberg	111,825
Sheridan	47,025
Wilamina	15,750
Yamhill	37,050
Total subscription	508,275

WOMEN PREPARE FOR DRIVE

House-to-House Canvass Will Be Launched Wednesday Morning.

Preparations for the women's committee drive through the residential districts, in behalf of the victory loan, are nearing completion, with Robert N. Strong as field director. The house-to-house canvass does not open today, but will be launched Wednesday morning.

A feature of the "thanksgiving rally" to be held at the Auditorium tomorrow night, as a final preparatory event to the women's committee campaign, will be the singing of the stirring new song, "The Americans Come," by Paul Petrie, who sang abroad in opera for seven years.

Walter Jenkins will act as leader of the community sing and Lucien Becker will preside at the organ. The names of the five-minute soldier speakers will be announced tomorrow.

Women who marched in the mothers' parade of the fourth loan are responding in large numbers to the special invitations sent them. All who took part in the parade are entitled to reservations, even though invitations may not have been mailed them. Reserved seat tickets for these may be secured at 213 Northwestern Bank building, up to 5:30 tomorrow afternoon.

FAIR INCOGNITO WHO WILL BE ONE OF THE FLYING CIRCUS PASSENGERS ABOVE PORTLAND THIS AFTERNOON.

MISS VICTORIA LIBERTY, REPRESENTING THE AERO CLUB OF OREGON.

Nobody knows who she is, with the exception of Milton R. Klepper, president of the Aero Club of Oregon, who chose her for the dual qualities of good looks and grit. To the public at large she is Miss Victoria Liberty, beauty incognito, who will cruise the clouds this afternoon with the flying circus.

With a domino mask disguising her winsome face, Miss Victoria Liberty will make her second appearance tonight at the victory conference and banquet of the city campaign forces, to be held at the auditorium. Her escort of honor will comprise various members of the Aero Club of Oregon, who are asked to don their uniforms and come to the auditorium early.

A great deal of interest centers in Miss Victoria. She will visit the theaters throughout the drive and make a few bond sales herself. And some day, when the incognito has gone far enough, City Sales Manager Van Duzer will bid her remove the domino mask and introduce her to the fortunate subscriber who bought the largest amount of bonds from beauty in disguise.

AIRMEN ARE BIG ATTRACTION

Vancouver People Hope Flyers Will Soar Over Spruce Plant.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 20.—(Special.)—Several hundred residents of Vancouver and Clarke county are planning to go to Portland tomorrow to see the flying circus in the interests of the victory loan. While it is possible that the flyers will soar over Vancouver, and thousands of workers here will be able to get a glimpse of them, this has not been definitely arranged. Major Spatz has been invited to fly over this city with his airmen, and a landing place on the golf links has been picked out for them in case they desire to make a landing.

Inasmuch as so many millions of feet of spruce was cut in the Vancouver Barracks cutup plant, located here, it seems that it would be fitting that some of the airplanes fly over this great plant.

On the very field where the cutup plant now is the late Silas Christopherson, famous Pacific coast aviator, learned to fly, as well as Barron and several others, who are known nationally. At the time they were learning to fly here, the field was also used as a polo field. This is all covered with acres of buildings and millions of feet of spruce piled high.

Children to See Aviators.

Pupils and teachers of the public schools are free to devote today to the flying circus and participation in opening ceremonies of the victory loan. There will be no school in either the high schools or grade schools today, due to observance of the regular Easter holiday. Schools will resume their regular work Tuesday morning.

SKIES CLEARED FOR FEATS

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body will be allowed on the flying field, which will be patrolled by military authorities, in co-operation with the sheriff and the police department. Only those with official passes, obtained from the special features bureau, will be allowed on the field.

American Ace In Charge.

"The following route should be taken to the heights along Willamette boulevard and directly above the field: Cross Broadway bridge, left on Larrabee to Goldsmith, Goldsmith to Mississippi avenue, thence to Emerson, and thence to Willamette boulevard, walking to side hills which overlook the field."

In charge of the flying circus is Lieutenant-Colonel William Thaw, perhaps the most renowned of all American aces. Other distinguished airmen are Major Carl Spatz, Lieutenant George W. Puryear, Lieutenant H. W. Follmer, Captain W. J. Hoover, Captain John Hambleton, Captain Lowell H. Smith, Lieutenants C. P. McCain, H. M. Wirt, C. W. Gatchell, Tommy Atkins, S. E. Cavanaugh, Clement McMullen, J. E. Read, L. S. Andrews, E. L. Wolfe and P. W. Webb.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Hanlon is attached to the flying circus as recruiting officer for the aviation service. A message received from him yesterday states that enlistments are desired by the service. Enlistment periods are from one to three years, with training as aviators. Colonel Hanlon will be at the United States recruiting office at 9:30 this morning.

Aviators to Give Talks.

At noon today the aviators will appear at victory center, Sixth and Morrison streets, where several of them will make brief addresses before leaving for the flying field to begin their flights. Tonight they will be guests of honor at the auditorium, and at 8:30 will speak to a mass meeting of the public. They leave the city at 11:30 tonight.

During their stay in the city special autos for the convenience of the aviators have been supplied by the National League for Women's Service, with Adjutant Caroline Jones in direct supervision, under arrangements made by the commander, Colonel Alice Benson Beach.

Hood River Throng Coming.

HOOD RIVER, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—Hood River will be almost depopulated tomorrow, when scores of families join Portland throngs to witness the flying circus. Hundreds plan to take to the Columbia River highway at daybreak tomorrow in their automobiles.

FRANCE WANTS SECURITY

GUARANTY AGAINST FUTURE HUN RAIDS DEMANDED.

Fear Felt That League Protection Will Be Inadequate—Definite Alliance Desired.

PARIS, April 20.—Editorial writers of Paris newspapers are again clamoring for definite and efficacious guarantees to ward off a repetition in future of German aggression. To this end they demand either an alliance with the United States and Great Britain or protection by the league of nations.

Pertinax in the Echo De Paris says that while the left bank of the Rhine is occupied and the fate of the Saar basin is in suspense nothing but an alliance pure and simple will serve.

St. Bric in the Journal declares an alliance must contain a military engagement of a very definite nature and that the league of nations must not supplant an alliance until it becomes real and non-fictitious—in other words when it offers military security at least equivalent to that of an alliance.

Lieutenant-Colonel Rousett in the Petit Parisien makes the point that, granting all good will on the part of the United States and Great Britain, France ought not to be expected to bear the brunt of an eventual German attack alone until American and British aid would have time to come to the rescue.

15,000 ACRES IRRIGATED

Half Million Dollars Spent by Indian Service at Yakima.

YAKIMA, Wash., April 20.—(Special.)—Superintendent L. M. Holt of the Indian irrigation service is completing expenditure of half a million dollars in extension of the canals of the Wapato project in the Yakima reservation, under an appropriation made by the last congress. The extensions have brought under irrigation 15,000 acres of land hitherto arid. A considerable portion of it is being cropped this year.

With the main canal extensions that have been built, the construction of a few laterals will bring under water 15,000 acres more. Mr. Holt has assurance from Washington that early in the first session of the new congress another $500,000 will be appropriated for continuation of the work.

Phone your want ads to The Oregonian. Main 7070, A 6095.

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INTENSIVE WORK PLANNED

House-to-House Canvass in Thousands of Cities and Towns Will Begin in Earnest Today.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

Germany prepares to launch third spring drive against allies.

Hurricane of fire pounds allied line from Lassigny to the Scarpe River.

Americans counter attack against first large German thrust at our lines.

Eighth German war loan floated for $3,000,000,000.

Germany gloats over the victories won in the first month of her spring drive.

Subscribe now to the victory liberty loan what you would have paid for victory then.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—House-to-house canvassing methods will be employed by many communities tomorrow in an effort to raise their quotas for the victory liberty loan on the opening day. This method, developed to a highly perfected state by a hundred or more cities and towns during the fourth loan campaign, has been adopted by many more loan organizations for the victory drive and canvassing committees have been drilled and organized for the intensive efforts tomorrow.

Reports to the treasury today were uniformly to the effect that prospects for raising the huge loan of $4,500,000,000 were bright and that preparations had been made to push the work to the utmost during the first week or 10 days. Many cities held loan demonstrations today, although subscriptions will not be received formally until tomorrow. By the middle or latter part of the week the treasury hopes to have the first definite reports on the volume of pledges.

Patriots' Aid Appreciated.

In the official statement issued today by the treasury, it was explained that although the federal reserve banks are the only recognized official agencies for subscriptions to the loan, the secretary of the treasury appreciates the efforts of unofficial agencies.

Large numbers of national banks, state banks and trust companies, investment bankers, express companies, newspapers, department stores and other corporations, firms and organizations, said the circular, "have patriotically offered to receive and transmit applications for the notes without expense to the applicants. The secretary of the treasury appreciates the value of these offers and will have application blanks widely distributed, through the federal reserve banks, to those institutions throughout the country. Subscribers' agencies must transmit or cover by their own subscriptions all applications received by them. In the latter case they must specify the number of subscribers and the aggregate amount of notes subscribed for by each and furnish such further information as may be prescribed by the secretary of the treasury.

No Commissions Payable.

"No commissions will be paid upon subscriptions, and those who receive and transmit applications are, therefore, rendering the service to subscribers as a patriotic duty. Only the federal reserve banks are authorized to act as fiscal agents of the United States in connection with the operations of selling and delivering notes of the victory liberty loan.

"Applications must be accompanied by payment of 10 per cent of the amount of notes applied for. No payment other than the 10 per cent required upon application should accompany any application for an aggregate amount of notes in excess of $10,000. Applications for an aggregate amount of notes not in excess of $10,000 may, at the option of the subscriber, be accompanied by payment in full at face value without interest.

Two Forms Are Available.

"The subscriber should indicate on the application blank whether coupon notes or registered notes are desired. If no preference is indicated either coupon notes or registered notes may be delivered. All applications will be deemed to be for notes of the 4¾ per cent series except applications specifying notes of the 3¾ per cent series, but the subscriber may, nevertheless, at any time before completion of payment, by notice in writing, elect to receive notes of either series in the first instance."

LOAN CAPTAINS MEET TODAY

Women to Organize Campaign for Residence Districts.

Precinct captains of the women's division of the victory loan committee will meet this afternoon at 2:30 in the assembly room of the Portland hotel to outline plans for the campaign of the residence district which opens Wednesday morning.

A number of precincts yet have no captains. Several captains, who served in the last loan drive, have not been reached. The executive committee asks that all former captains who have not received notice of their reappointment and all others who would be willing to serve as captains, come to the meeting and give their names to Mrs. Charles E. Curry, city chairman.

The women's division also asks all women who marched in the mothers' parade during the fourth loan, who have not received invitations and tickets for reserved seats for the mass meeting at the auditorium Tuesday evening, call at the headquarters, 213 Northwestern Bank building, today or tomorrow before 5:30 P. M.

A large number of the mothers who marched in the parade did not register and the committee has had no way of reaching them with the tickets. Every effort will be made to have every mother of the parade in a place of honor at the big meeting.

PORTLAND RIVAL OF TOLEDO

Mr. Riley Tells Ohioans Oregon Will Again Be First in Drive.

Frank Branch Riley, who is in the east advertising the scenic and tourist opportunities of Oregon, is boosting his home state in the victory loan. The following message was received from Mr. Riley by Emery Olmstead, city chairman of the victory loan drive yesterday, from Toledo, Ohio:

"Toledo, with magnificent victory loan organization and splendid civic spirit, is ready to go over the top in the first 48 hours. She recognizes Portland as her only formidable rival for first honors among American cities. I addressed 6000 city bond salesmen here tonight after they had taken the oath administered by a federal judge, and last night I spoke to 400 township salesmen at an open-air meeting in the civic center. I told them Oregon would again be first."

MRS. McADOO MAKES APPEAL

Women Urged to Do Their Best to Pay Price of Peace.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Women are urged to do their best "to pay the price of peace" by Mrs. Eleanor Wilson McAdoo, daughter of President Wilson and wife of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, in a message received today by Mrs. E. R. Brainerd, state chairman of the national women's liberty loan committee. Mrs. McAdoo said:

"The women of the United States felt a year ago that no money price was too high for the winning of a victorious peace. The government of the United States is now asking us to help raise the four and one-half billion subscription that totals the victory loan. Can we do less than our best to pay the price of peace?"

STRIKE VOTE TO BE SENT

TELEGRAPHERS EXPECT BALLOT TO BE UNANIMOUS.

Resolution Pledges Observance of Holiday May 1—Members of Congress Attacked.

Telegraph company employes, in session yesterday afternoon, arranged for transmission of the latest strike vote to headquarters, adopted resolutions attacking members of congress who have not supported labor interests and approved the observance of May 1 as a holiday, as the new international labor day.

The strike vote in the Portland district has been completed and will be tabulated today by a committee composed of C. H. Preston, secretary of the telegraphers' union; C. Grant, of the railroad clerks; A. S. Bimrose, of the train dispatchers' association, and Miss Echo Cole. It is predicted that the vote will be found almost unanimous for the strike, now believed to be due about April 28-May 1.

The meeting adopted a resolution drawn up by the boilermakers' union, urging the observance of May 1 as the new labor day, the members pledging to observe the holiday and keep their children from attending school. This resolution is being circulated without the approval of the central labor council, which declined to adopt or recommend the move, at the session of April 10.

In the resolution attacking congress and the politicians the telegraph employes commended Samuel Gompers, head of the American Federation of Labor, for "taking up politics," and pledging to refuse support for the senators and representatives "who have openly opposed, knifed and jokered all labor legislation."

IDAHO TO DEVELOP MINES

NEW STATE BUREAU HOLDS INITIAL SESSION.

Surveys of All Districts Indicating Valuable Mineral Deposits Are Approved.

BOISE, Idaho, April 20.—(Special.)—The state bureau of mines, created by the last legislature, held its initial meeting here Saturday, with Governor Davis, Dean Francis A. Thomson of Moscow, Jerome A. Day, Professor D. G. Livingstone of Moscow, and State Mine Inspector Bell present.

A resolution was adopted holding it to be the policy of the board to cause to be made such geological and topographical investigations as will stimulate the development of all districts showing indications of metallic and non-metallic mineral deposits of economic value.

It recommended continuation of the present agreement between the state and United States bureau of mines, and the renewal of this contract at its expiration June 30; co-operation with the geological survey in securing a topographical survey of the Teton coal basin; the completion of primary control in Clearwater county, and the immediate publication of geological work completed in central and northern Idaho during the last two years.

MARSHFIELD CLUB GROWS

Organization of Business Men Prosperous and Active One.

MARSHFIELD, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—The Millicoma club of Marshfield, composed of leading business men and clerks, with a women's auxiliary, shows an increase in membership during the past year and the club officers plan an active season for 1919.

W. U. Douglas, who has been interested in the club since its organization, was chosen president at the last election and E. K. Jones vice-president. The board of governors includes Charles Hall, John Ferguson and Walter E. Butler. The present membership is 209, and Secretary Henry Huggins reports the club in excellent financial condition.

IDAHO VETERANS TO FORM

Delegates Are Elected to Attend State Convention.

BOISE, Idaho, April 20.—(Special.)—With but 16 counties in the state having world-war veteran associations, the state committee named by Governor Davis at the request of Lieutenant-Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to decide on how Idaho shall be represented at the national convention at St. Louis May 8 met here yesterday. It was decided not to hold a state convention, but to proceed with the organization of county units.

The following delegates were named to represent the state at St. Louis: F. A. Jeter, Coeur d'Alene; Harry Cherpillods, Moscow; Thomas A. Feeney, Lewiston; Paul Davis, Boise; Frank Estabrook, Nampa; John S. Green, Twin Falls; C. M. Booth, Pocatello; Paul Peterson, Idaho Falls.

Alternates were named as follows: Carl M. Maloney, Wallace; E. C. Boon, Moscow; L. L. Robertson, Nez Perce; Mark Shields, Boise; James Boon, Caldwell; Taylor Cummings, Twin Falls; Laverne R. Collier, Pocatello; W. A. Mathys, St. Anthony.

The members of the state committee are the delegates named. All were present except Captain Jeter.

FAST ROAD WORK ASSURED

Marshfield Contractors Are Well Equipped for Highway Job.

MARSHFIELD, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—Dean, Brown, Perham & Hague contractors who secured the paving job between Marshfield and the county seat, 12½ miles, are well equipped for the work, having practically everything in machinery necessary for construction. A feature of their equipment is the Dean & Brown basalt rock quarry on Coos river, where the material for the concrete will be obtained.

The firm will deliver rock from scows for a distance of six or seven miles from the Marshfield end of the highway, using Isthmus inlet for transportation. The base for the paving has been ready for a year and portions of the grade have been settling for two years, leaving the entire route in good condition for speedy construction.

Mechanic Is Lucky Soldier.

PORTERVILLE.—Porterville's "luckiest soldier" is undoubtedly Jack Kay, a mechanic, who enlisted in the British army within a few weeks after the declaration of war. Kay was at Ypres and in following bitter engagements, at that time with the New Zealanders; was transferred to Gallipoli with the Anzacs; thence back to France, and finished his service with participation in all of the heavy battles of the Mesopotamian campaign. He came through without an injury of any sort and without a sign of illness.

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