

SHIPS FOUR TROOPS INTO MANY PORTS

New York in Day Handles Thousands of Men.

NEGRO SOLDIERS INCLUDED

Transports Carrying Units of Every Branch of Service Listed for Early Arrival.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The transports Valacia, Saxonia and Tolosa, all from Brest, arrived today with 221 officers and 3245 men. Units aboard the Valacia included the 87th depot service company and 114th guard company...

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Expected transport arrivals are: Imperator, New York, July 14.—Headquarters 3d battalion, medical detachment, companies C, L, K, and M, 812th pioneer infantry...

Scranton, New York, July 15.—Field and staff headquarters and supply companies, medical detachment and company A, B and C, 809th pioneer infantry...

Scranton, New York, July 15.—Headquarters detachment, companies A to D, 311th supply train; headquarters companies A to D, 306th service battalion; company A, 578th engineer service battalion...

Scranton, New York, July 15.—Fifteen casual companies, 225th military police; company D, 315th service battalion; 529th service park unit; evacuation hospital 312...

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., July 11.—With 2333 officers and men aboard, the transport Hiram arrived here today from Bordeaux. Units included parts of the 121st engineers and many casual companies for all parts of the country.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The cruiser Frederick also from Brest, brought 1275 troops. Units included 524th company transportation corps and 307th supply company.

EXTRA PAY IS HELD BACK

Warrants for Two Officials Await Ruling at Olympia.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 11.—Warrants for extra pay granted by the legislature to State Labor Commissioner C. H. Younger and State Mine Inspector James Hagley have been held back by the state auditor for a ruling of the attorney-general as to their legality.

English Can Treat to Drinks.

LONDON, July 11.—It is no longer against the law in England to buy a round of drinks, the liquor board having revoked the order, a war measure, which pointed out that the order wiped out the practice of treating and it expressed the hope that the good sense of community should suffice to prevent its revival with the "wasteful and excessive drinking to which it leads."

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

BRITISH DIRIGIBLE, NOW EN ROUTE HOME, AS SHE APPEARED WHEN MOORED AT MINEOLA, N. Y.



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TRANS-ATLANTIC AIRSHIP AT ROOSEVELT FIELD.

DIRIGIBLE DRIVING ON 4000 FEET OVER AZORES.

Great Balloon Reports All Well on Board and Is Speeding Towards East Fortune.

LONDON, July 11.—The air ministry has received the following report from Ponta delgada, Azores: "The R-34 at 4:10 P. M. Greenwich mean time (4:10 New York time), is 4000 feet above the clouds, and, despite a disabled engine, is going strong. We are just about to descend to look at the sea. All well."

The R-34 at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, Greenwich time (10:30 A. M. New York time), had reached latitude 48-32 N. 55-25 longitude W. according to advices from the dirigible. One of the airship's engines had completely broken down. The message said it was proposed to land at East Fortune.

In the first 24 hours of return flight across the Atlantic from Mineola the dirigible R-34 covered 1360 miles, according to advices received here.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 11.—The naval wireless station here reported speaking to the R-34 today. It failed to get her exact position, but indications were that the dirigible was near the Azores.

ARMY BOARD HEARS CASE

REMISSION OF SENTENCES OF PORTLAND BOYS ADVOCATED.

Absurdity of Heavy Punishment for Slight Offense Causes Action for Clemency.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 11.—Remission of the sentences of seven men of the 147th field artillery, four of them from Portland, Ore., who were court-martialed in France, has been recommended by the army clemency board.

The seven men were convicted of taking a small quantity of wine at a small town on the Meuse and each was sentenced to serve six months at hard labor, to forfeit all pay and allowances and to receive a dishonorable discharge.

The absurdity of such sentences for an almost playful offense was brought to the attention of the war department by Senator Chamberlain at the request of Captain James S. Gay of Portland, counsel for the soldiers.

LIZARD VINDICATES FINDER

Vari-Colored Saurian's Capture Is Hood River Man's Alibi.

HOOD RIVER, Ore., July 11.—(Special.)—J. H. Fredrick, local agent of the O. W. R. & N. company and vice-president of the Hood River Game Protective association, stands vindicated.

Mr. Fredrick, after a fishing trip up Hood River recently, reported seeing a lizard with a blue tail and a red and white striped body. Many and varied stories were written about the "victory saurian," and Mr. Fredrick received many letters inquiring as to his brand of beverage and how it might be obtained.

MOONEY'S WIFE PLEADS

Effort Made Is to Get President's Aid for Bomber.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas J.

FAST CABLE HELD NEED

BETTER SERVICE ACROSS PACIFIC AIM OF COMMITTEE.

National Foreign Trade Council Holds Present Facilities Inadequate to Meet Demands.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The national foreign trade council today announced the formation of a special committee on foreign communications for the purpose of obtaining improved cable and wireless facilities across the Pacific ocean.

FOOD SURPLUS IS LARGE

\$121,100,000 VALUE OF ARMY STOCKS FOR SALE.

General March Testifies Army Subsistence Branch Overcauteful in Rendering Report.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—General March, chief of staff of the army, told a house sub-committee on war expenditures today that the war department's declaration of surplus food stocks could have been made in February instead of May and that he failed to declare surplus of foodstuffs amounting to \$121,100,000.

Chairman Reavis wanted to know who was responsible for delay in declaring the surplus, without which war stocks could not be put on the market.

It was fair criticism, General March replied, that the subsistence branch of the quartermaster's corps had been overcauteful, adding that in his opinion a surplus report could have been prepared safely in February.

ARMY CAMPS IN SOUTH

Secretary Baker Says Climate Is Better for Troops.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Questioned today by a house war-investigating sub-committee about the location of most of the army training fields in the south, Secretary Baker said he had "never heard an improper suggestion from anyone about the location of the camps."

Mr. Baker declared the camps were placed in the south rather than in the north solely because a better weather conditions obtained there, and he added that no influence that he knew of was exerted to send the men to the south.

DRYS TURN AGAINST BILL

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held the cause of prohibition, but the enforcement bill, which he characterized as "impracticable and senseless as anything ever suggested," should be opposed "because it is worse in all its features than the infamous Force bill."

It was apparent tonight that prohibition leaders were somewhat disconcerted by persistent attacks on the enforcement bill by members of the house regarded heretofore as certain to support it.

RICH MAN'S SON JAILED

Defendant in \$15,000 Alienation Suit Held Under Mann Act.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 11.—Richard Manning Wynkoop, said to be the son of a wealthy retired manufacturer of Pasadena, Cal., was being held in the county jail here today on a charge of violating the federal Mann act, following a hearing yesterday at Wenatchee, which was held over to the grand jury in bonds of \$5000.

Wynkoop is charged with having accompanied the wife of Lieutenant C. C. Beery, U. S. A., who has been overseas for the last two years, from her home at Cashmere, Wash., to Portland. Lieutenant Beery has brought suit against Wynkoop to recover \$15,000 for alleged alienation of Mrs. Beery's affections.

With a view to increasing its agricultural production, Italy will establish an experiment station in Tripoli.

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FIRES RAGE IN FORESTS

NORTHERN IDAHO TIMBER IS BEING DESTROYED.

Heavy Winds, Accompanied by Light Rain, Make Western Montana Situation Serious.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 11.—Several large forest fires in private and government timber in northern Idaho were reported today, although some of the largest of them were said to be under control.

Fifty men under the direction of the Pend Oreille Fire Protective association were fighting a fire of 600 to 700 acres ten miles north of the Priest River, Idaho, today.

Ninety men were fighting a blaze in government timber on the North Fork river in the Coeur d'Alene forest, which, while not under control, was not regarded as serious.

A fire near Chas Spur, on the St. Maries river in northern Idaho, which yesterday was menacing valuable private timber, today was burning in an opposite direction and was not regarded as serious.

MISSOULA, Mont., July 11.—Although no new fires in the forests of northern Idaho and western Montana had been reported today to forest service district No. 1, it was declared that many blazes that broke out yesterday still were burning fiercely and that the situation is still serious.

Light rain in western Montana last night, accompanied by heavy winds, only served to give the fires a fresh start.

The only fire in the district reported today as being successfully fought was that on the White river in the Flathead forest. This fire has been burning for the last two weeks.

CHINESE SPLIT ON TREATY

INABILITY TO SETTLE ISSUES WITH JAPAN FEARED.

Pekin Cabinet Members Doubt Specific Gain Through Entrance to League of Nations.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The Chinese cabinet at Peking, originally united in opposition to the signature of the peace treaty because of the Shantung settlement, is now divided in opinion, according to advices today from the Chinese capital.

Paris reports have indicated that the Chinese delegates would sign the treaty in a settlement of her issue with Japan. Some members of the Peking cabinet, however, are reported to have taken the view that as the covenant requires the unanimous action of the league council in such cases, and as the Japanese member of the council could not be expected to consent to have the issue raised, there would be no probability of relief for China in that quarter.

Under these conditions, it was urged by these members, China's position would be made much more difficult, for in the absence of any stipulation to the contrary, Japan must remain indefinitely in control of Shantung instead of returning the territory to China, as she is pledged to do if the plan contained in the peace treaty with Germany is approved.

British and French navies, have been ordered to proceed to Fiume, where there have been disorders recently between Italian troops and other elements in the force of occupation.

The situation at Fiume, however, is reported to be more quiet.

REMEMBER! OUR STORE WILL CLOSE WEDNESDAYS AT 1 P. M. DURING THE HOT MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST, that our employes may enjoy a half holiday. Arrange to do your shopping accordingly and CO-OPERATE!

Again You May Profit Extraordinarily at This Great Sale of Women's High-Grade

APRONS 98c

Dozen Different Styles to Select From—Scout Percales and Standard Cloth

Fail to fill your apron needs at this sale and you'll miss a saving opportunity that will not again be presented for many a day. This offering consists of a special purchase from a prominent manufacturer who was willing to dispose of several dozen aprons at an unusual discount for cash—in turn, we now pass the saving to you.

You may select from more than a dozen different styles. Middie, Button Shoulder, Side Fasten, Butterfly, Front Fasten, Slip-Over and others equally as desirable. All are extra well made and neatly finished throughout and you have choice from light and dark colors in plain shades, plaids, stripes and neat patterns. Supply both present and future needs immediately, for the supply will not last long at this phenomenal price. 98c

Ho! A Wonderful Sale of Women's and Children's Sweater Coats

For summer sports—for motor trips—for beach or outing wear—dozens of styles and all sizes and colors arranged in two great lots and underpriced as follows:

LOT 1—Choice at \$3.79  
LOT 2—Choice at \$7.90

Come to this sale expecting extraordinary values—and you'll not be disappointed. It is a great mid-season stock adjustment and includes about two lots you have chosen from all broken and surplus lines—odd garments and sample numbers. Style, colors and weaves to suit all tastes.

Sale of Men's Cotton Socks at 19c Pair

Fine Mercerized Black Cotton Socks, made seamless and with fine ribbed top. A splendid sock to wear. All sizes 5 1/2 to 11 1/2. The best selected seconds—at only 19c a pair.

Store Opens at 8:30 A. M. Saturday at 9 A. M.

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Woodsbury's Facial Soap, 25c  
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CHILDREN'S WHITE PUMPS with rubber soles. All sizes from 1 1/2 to 2. At \$2.00 pair.

MISSIE'S WHITE PUMPS with rubber soles. All sizes from 2 1/2 to 6. At \$2.25 pair.

Limit 10 Bars to Each Customer.

Woodbury's Facial Soap, 25c  
Palm Olive Soap, 25c  
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