ITALIAN AIRPLANES FLY OVER CAPITAL

No-Stop Flight of 200 Miles Is Made From Camp at Hampton, Va.

TWO SUFFER MISHAPS

Planes Scatter Flowers on White House Lawn—Plans Made for Flight to New York With 25-Passenger Machine.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Two Italian airplanes which with a third started on a flight this morning from Langley Field, at Hampton, Va., to Washington and back, suffered mishaps here which prevented their return tonight. A Caproni biplane, which brought nine persons, broke a wheel and smashed a plane in landing.

Afteran exhibition flight with newspapermen as passengers, aFlat battle plane, short of gasoline, landed in a marsh on the Virginia side of the Potomac River. The Caproni plane probably will return tomorrow, but the Fiat could not be extricated from the mud and will be dismanteled and shipped back.

Third Returns Safely.

The third machine, a fast Pomillo battle plane, returned to Hampton safely, a distance of 118 miles, in less than two hours. The airplanes were piloted by Italian military aviators sent to this country to instruct American flyers.

The big Caproni airplane, pilotec by Lieutenant Silvio Resnati, Italian military aviator, was the principal machine in the flight and carried, besides its pilot, nine passengers.

His son, Franklin K. Lane, Jr., an American Army aviator, was a passenger in the Fiat machine which fled ahead of the big tri-plane, being smaller and much faster. The third machine was a Pimollo, flown by Lieutenant Baldioli.

Airmen Hover Over Capital.

Eagerly watched by great crowds, the birdman, making the flight in about two hours, circled over the city, the White House, the Washington Monument and then glided down to earth.

The pilots executed many maneuvers now common on the European battle fronts, once circling low over the White House and strewing flowers along the lawn.

Two of the aviators, Captain Tappi, who piloted the big Caproni, and Lieutenant Baldioli, who flew the Pomilio, with Lieutenant Franklin K. Lane, Jr., as a passenger, are among Italy's most famous flyers. Lieutenant Baldioli, only 21 years old, has had two years' service on the Austrian front and is said to be the most daring of all Italy's airmen.

New York Run Promised.

The Caproni machine brought as passengers Dr. S. W. Stratton, chief of the bureau of standards, and S. W. F. Durand and W. B. Stout, of the Aircraft Production Board. Mechanicians and assistants made up the rest of the party. Secretary Lane had intended making the flight, but at the request of President Wilson abandoned the trip.

The airplanes started at an altitude of 8000 feet, and when Washington was reached they were flying above banks of low hanging clouds.

Next week five Italian machines will leave Langley Field for a non-stop flight to New York. On this trip one of the pilots will drive the great triplane now at Newport News, which carries 25 passengers.

AERIAL HIGHWAY PROPOSED

Commercial Air Service After War Is Planned.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The plan of the Aero Club of America for a National airway extending from this city to San Francisco, to be called the "Woodrow Wilson Aerial Highway," has been approved by the President in a letter to Representative Murray Hulbert, of New York, which was made public by the Aero Club tonight.

It was announced that the plans for making the map of this highway will be considered immediately by the club's committee on aeronautic maps and landing places, and that various governmental, commercial and scientific bodies will be invited to carry out the project as soon as possible.

The Aerial Highway, it is proposed, in addition to running in a straight line from coast to coast, will have connecting branches extending north and south of the main airway and reaching every important city from Maine to Puget Sound.

IDAHO HAS NEW FARMER

Lee Fluharty Named Director of Agricultural Extension.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Sept. 22.—Lee Fluharty, graduate of Lewiston Normal and University of Idaho, class 1910, has been appointed by the State University as director of agricultural extension work, to succeed O. D. Center, with headquarters at Boise. Dr. Lindley has received a telegram from the United States Department of Agriculture releasing Fluharty to take up this new work.

Mr. Fluharty was Assistant Horticultural Inspector in 1910-11, assistant district leader of county agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho, 1912-14; assistant agriculturist United States Department of Agriculture in 1914-17, and for the past year county agent, Yakima County, Washington.

BOOK MARK SET AT $1000

Baker Library Board Starts Campaign to Aid Soldiers' Fund.

BAKER, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special)—Active work to secure $1000 in Baker County for the state war library fund was started today by Joseph Heilner, local attorney, who has charge of the campaign. Mr. Heilner named a committee of 10 business men in the city and selected 16 men who will act as chairmen of committees in as many rural communities.

The work is being carried on under the direction of the Baker Library Board.

$40,000 Trade Closed at Centralia.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Property valued at $40,000 is involved in a deal announced here yesterday, wherein W. M. Pierce trades the old Guerrier home on Iron street to Elva E. Mooney for a 160-acre ranch in Thurston County. Another realty deal is one wherein Frank Witchey trades five acres north of this city for a farm in the Boistfort valley.

RULER OF SIAM, ONE OF LATEST NATIONS TO DECLARE WAR AGAINST THE CENTRAL POWERS.

KING VAGIRAVUAH.

200 ARE INTERNED

C. A. Steele Writes of Effect of War on Siam.

PRESIDENT MUCH PRAISED

Seizure of Ships and Proclamation of Regulations Mark Advent of Kingdom Into War for International Rights.

Internment of more than 200 Germans and Austrians as well as the internment of 19,000 tons of ships, marked the declaration of war against the Teutonic powers by Siam, according to letters just received from C. A. Steele, formerly of Portland, and for six years at the head of the Boon Itt Memorial Institute of Bangkok, an institution similar to an American Y. M. C. A.

"Since President Wilson declared war," writes Mr. Steele, "he has been held in the highest possible respect by the official classes here, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Siam, Prince Svasti, told me the other day that he considered President Wilson the greatest statesman in the whole world today."

American Influence Felt.

Inclosed in the letter was a copy of a special sheet issued by the Siam Observer, giving an English translation of the Siamese declaration of war.

The American influence is marked, for the rules and regulations promulgated are similar to those in the United States, and there are phrases that have a decided American sound. Among the rules are:

"An alien enemy shall not have in his possession any firearm.

"An alien enemy shall not have or use any aircraft or wireless apparatus.

"An alien enemy shall not approach within one kilometer of any fort or arsenal.

"Aliens are forbidden also to publish attacks on the Siamese government, or give 'information, aid or comfort to its enemies;' nor reside in prescribed areas."

International Rights Ignored.

The proclamation recites that Siam has watched the course of the Teutonic powers and has found that the Central powers are conducting war by methods simulating contempt for all principles of humanity and all respect for small states, flagrantly disregarding international rights and agreements in so many ways that it has become a war against commerce, mankind and peace of the world.

"Under such circumstances we can only come to the conclusion that neutrality is no longer feasible or desirable where the peace of the world is involved, and that it is the duty of Siam, as one of the members of the family of nations, to uphold the sanctity of international rights."

Mr. Steele and his family will leave Siam within a few weeks for America, after having completed the six-year term for which he was sent to the Far East. Mr. Steele is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Steele, of Portland, and is a graduate of the Portland high school of 1902 and of the University of Oregon in 1910.

MUSIC INSTRUCTOR NAMED

Miss Victoria Cave to Head Department of Eugene Bible University.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Miss Victoria Cave, of Regina, Canada, has been elected as the head of the school of music of the Eugene Bible University, according to an announcement made by President E. C. Sanderson today.

Miss Cave, who will succeed Professor Henry Filer, is a native of Illinois, but received her musical education in Canada. She has been engaged in evangelical work in the United States and Canada during the last four years.

The Fall term of school at the Bible University will open next Tuesday.

Pioneer Harness Maker Dies.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Silas J. Saxon, pioneer harness-maker of the Willamette Valley, who came to Lane County in 1857, died last week in La Crosse, Wash., at the age of 86 years. Mr. Saxon was known to the early residents of the state of "Mose" Saxon. He is survived by two sons, Newton Saxon, of Eugene, and Marion Saxon, of Portland, and one daughter, Mrs. Alice Fleenor, of Portland.

COLLEGE MEN OF OREGON ARE NOW IN EASTERN METROPOLIS

Former Reed Students Greet Professor Ogburn—Horace Cardinell, Recently Wed, Sails for Brazil.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Professor William F. Ogburn, formerly of Reed College, is visiting several of the important cities of the East with a view to obtaining material for new courses he will teach at the University of Washington this Fall. A number of former Reedites gathered at the apartment occupied by Misses Grace Hays and Agnes Winchell one evening last week to have a chat with him.

Jamieson K. Parker has returned from a fortnight in the White Mountains of New Hampshire. He has accepted a position in the office of the Griscom Kelly Company, large manufacturers of steam equipment.

Glenn Johnson (Reed, 1915) has been chosen for the Army. He has been doing graduate work at Columbia University the past two years. He will report shortly at the camp at Yaphank, Long Island.

Archibald B. Clark, another Reed graduate, has received a commission with the Field Artillery. He is stationed at Yaphank for a time.

Joyce R. Kelly has a commission with the infantry. On account of his technical ability, however, he may be called upon to serve in some scientific capacity.

After an extended visit to Portland, Mr. Lindsley F. Hall has returned to take up his work in the Egyptian department of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace A. Cardinell sailed last week for Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, which will be their home for the next two years. Mr. Cardinell has an appointment as Horticulturalist for the Brazilian government, having already spent some time there. He was sent to this country to get supplies for his work, and made use of the opportunity to take unto himself a wife. He was married to Norma Waddell at Long Beach, Cal., three weeks before sailing south. While at Portland Academy and O. A. C. Mr. Cardinell was active in athletics, especially baseball.

Another O. A. C. man, Philip R. Sessions, has come to make New York his home, for some time at least. He has accepted a position with the Aeolian Company in their credit department.

TEXAS CHIEF LOSES

Ten of 21 Charges Against Governor Upheld.

SENATE ALMOST IS UNIT

In Vote Upon Allegations Against James E. Ferguson Nearly Every One of Ten Are Sustained by 27, Four Voting No.

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 22.—The Senate high court of impeachment, trying Governor James E. Ferguson, today sustained 10 of the 21 charges brought against him.

The charges which were sustained and the votes were as follows:

No. 1—That he deposited $5600 of Canyon City Normal insurance money in the Temple State Bank to a personal note. 27 ayes, 4 noes.

No. 4—That $40,000 of Canyon City Normal insurance money remained in the Temple State Bank more than a year without drawing interest, but to the profit of the Governor. 26 ayes, 5 noes.

No. 66—That he deposited $60,000 of state money in the Temple Bank and profited therefrom. 24 ayes, 7 noes.

No. 7—That he assisted in the deposit of $250,000 of state funds to the credit of the Temple Bank and profited therefrom; 26 ayes, 5 noes.

Misconduct Is Alleged.

No. 11—That his refusal to tell who lent him $156,000 in currency constituted official misconduct. 27 ayes, 4 noes.

No. 12—That he diverted from the Adjutant-General's fund money paid on the Canyon City Normal building in 1916. 27 ayes, 4 noes.

No. 14—That he induced the officers of the Temple Bank to lend money in excess of the legal limit, although he was sworn as Governor to enforce the law. 26 ayes, 5 noes.

No. 16—That he sought to coerce and influence the board of regents of the University of Texas to do his autocratic will. 22 ayes, 9 noes.

No. 17—That he sought to violate the law by removing regents without adequate cause. 22 ayes, 8 noes, one present and not voting.

No. 19—That he sought to influence Wilbur F. Allen, chairman of the board of regents, by remitting to him a $5000 bond. 21 ayes, 10 noes.

Governor Now Out of Office.

The vote on the first article—that he used $5600 of state funds to settle a personal obligation—was sufficient to convict. A two-thirds vote was necessary. The ballot was ayes 27, noes 4.

Next Tuesday at noon the Senate will formally pronounce its judgment. Conviction carries with it, it is understood, disbarment from future offices, but this condition possibly may be ameliorated.

Tonight the Governor is completely severed from the position to which he was twice elected by the people. Acting-Governor William P. Hobby, an editor of Beaumont, assumes the full power of office. His tenure will extend to January, 1919.

Mr. Ferguson said he did not know what his future plans would be. It is probable he will go to his ranch for a rest.

Career Is Varied One.

Ferguson was elected Governor of Texas in 1914 and re-elected in 1916. In both campaigns he ran as an anti-prohibitionist candidate. He had never before held a public office and previous to his gubernatorial nomination was practically unknown outside of his home county. He was born in Bell County, August 31, 1871, the son of a Methodist minister and Confederate soldier. He attended district school until he was 16 years old and then left his home and worked in the West for a few years as a roustabout in a barbed-wire factory in San Francisco, a lumberjack in Washington and as a mine helper in Nevada.

After returning to Texas Mr. Ferguson took up the study of law and later was admitted to the bar and practiced in Bell County. Subsequently he organized the Temple State Bank.

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GIRLS SEEKING EDUCATION

But Desire for Employment That Expenses May Be Met Is Great.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—The demand of girls who desire places to work while attending college is greater than in former years, in the opinion of Miss Tirza Dinsmore, secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at the University of Oregon, who has returned to the campus after spending the Summer in Illinois.

Miss Dinsmore said she is receiving letters from girls in various sections of the state who are coming to college and who desire some sort of employment to assist in meeting expenses. Miss Dinsmore states that applicants range from those who desire housework for board and room to those who have had experience in various lines of business.

Portlander Marries Lebanon Miss.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—A Portland young man and a Lebanon young woman were married in this city yesterday, when Alfred L. Bramwell claimed Miss Alice Bland as his bride. The ceremony was performed by Dr. George H. Young, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Miss Bland is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Bland, of Lebanon.

Cornchopper Takes Boy's Hand.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Glen Meyer, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Meyer, residing near Crabtree, lost his right hand in a cornchopper yesterday. The boy was carrying away the chopped corn and placed his right arm so that the machine severed the hand from the arm.

Mill Worker Killed by Log.

CASTLE ROCK, Wash., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Ira Tucker, aged 40, was killed yesterday at the Derrick mill three miles north of here on the Silver Lake road. In placing a log the end swung around and struck him in the abdomen and he lived only an hour. He leaves a widow and four small children.

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