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General Opinion is That Austria is to be an Enemy of Italy Later On

ARMY IS GETTING READY

Negotiations Are Still Pending But Extensive Military Preparations Lead to Belief That Trouble is Sure to Come.

REJOIN REGIMENTS

GENEVA, May 11.—All Italian officers and men in Switzerland up to the age of 21 were ordered yesterday to rejoin their regiments immediately.

QUESTION OF HOURS

ON ITALIAN FRONTIER, May 11.—The opinion prevails in Rome that Italy's participation in the war is a question of hours. Along the Italian frontier, where a correspondent of the Associated Press has been from one end of the line to the other, it universally is felt that war may be a question of hours.

AMBASSADOR TO LEAVE

PARIS, May 11.—The Milan correspondent of the Excelsior Telegrams that a dispatch from Lugano, Switzerland, says the police of that city have been instructed to make preparations to protect Prince Vassiloff, German ambassador to Rome, as he passes through that city on his way home.

NEW CENSUS PLAN

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—The Census Bureau has established a new precedent by enumerating, at request and expense, the population of a city between census years. This was done last month Tulsa, Oklahoma, under authority of a Presidential order, and as a result the population of that city on April 15, 1915, was officially announced a few days ago at 28,240, inclusive of 1985 persons living on Indian lands, located within or adjacent to the city, but politically distinct from it. The increase between 1910 and 1915 was 55 per cent. The work was done by local enumerators under the supervision of Mr. Eugene F. Hartley, an official of the Census Bureau.

AS AN ACCIDENT

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Bound Back While in San Francisco Bay and Carlos Will Come Instead

NEVADA ATTRACTS

Local People Will Follow the Gold Rush

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SAILING CANCELLED

MAURETANIA WILL NOT ATTEMPT TRIP ACROSS OCEAN

CANCELS SAILING

LONDON, May 11.—Sailing of the Cunard liner Mauretania, sister ship of the Lusitania, advertised for May 29, has been cancelled.

KILL TWO MEXICANS

SMUGGLERS CHASED BY U. S. RIVER GUARD

Nearly One Hundred Cattle Which Were Stolen Were Recovered By the Officers

KENDALL PLANS BIG

FIRM FORMS MILLION DOLLAR CORPORATION AT ROSEBURG

Proposes to Build Large Lumber Mill and Railroad to Extend to Timber Belt

JOY KILLS MOTHER

DALLAS, Or., May 11.—Joy and excitement due to word that her son had been released from a military prison in Canada, where he has been held several months as a German spy, is believed to have caused the sudden death of Mrs. Louis Huser, who was the wife of a prominent German farmer residing near this city. After the mother's death another message came stating the Canadian government had revoked the order for release.

HAS A BIG PAYROLL

TIE BUSINESS IS GOOD INDUSTRY FOR BANDON

Many Thousands of Dollars Being Distributed Each Month Among Workmen of Locality

HAVE NEW UNIFORMS

North Bend Band Members Will Appear in White Duck

WILL MAKE REPORT

Port Commission to Hear About the Ledger of Rock

LIBBY COAL

The kind you use ALWAYS USED. Phone 72. Pacific Livery and Transfer Company.

HARD FIGHTING IS CONTINUED

Germans and Allies Both Claim Victories in Battles in Belgium and France

RUSSIA HELD BACK

Berlin Says Austria is Holding Carpathians But Other Side Tells Different Story

TURK DEFENSE IS STRONG

Battle on Gallipoli Peninsula is Bitterly Contested and Reports Indicate That There Were Heavy Losses

GOING TO ENGLAND

TWO ZEPPELINS WERE SEEN EARLY THIS MORNING

ENGINE IS SAVED

ALL THE REST OF RANDOLPH A TOTAL WRECK

HAPPENINGS AT GOLD BEACH RELATED IN THE GLOBE

ESTABLISH PAYROLL

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PERSONAL OVERFLOW

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WATERFRONT NEWS

THE NEW EMMY LOU PUMPS HAVE ARRIVED AT GORDON'S, INC. SHOES OF MERIT ONLY.

TURKS LOSE 45,000

STATED THAT ALLIES HAVE CONTINUED TO ADVANCE

Are Securing the More Important Positions on Gallipoli Peninsula After Strong Resistance

DROP BOMBS ON PARIS SUBURBS

PARIS, May 11.—A German Taube flew over St. Denis, a suburb of Paris, this morning and dropped two bombs. One bomb wounded five persons.

PREPARING TREATY

JAPAN FOREIGN OFFICE IS MAKING A DRAFT

Based on Acceptance of China, but Movement is Not Popular With the People

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TO HAVE FIRE ALARM

At the request of Mayor Topping, of Bandon, in which he stated he believed it was to the best interest of the city that a fire alarm system should be purchased, the committee to which the matter was referred was ordered to report. The matter will be decided upon at the next meeting.—Western World.

TURNER LOSES SUIT

COOSTON FARMER SHOWS CONTRACT UNFINISHED

Judge Non-Suits Case of Barnum Estate, in Claiming Stumpage From South Inlet Lands

TO FACE WOMEN

THREE ALLEGED VICTIMS OF J. L. CAMPBELL TO APPEAR

WHITE SLAVERY CHARGES MAY BE FURTHER SUPPLEMENTED, IEN FISHER RECEIVES LETTERS

Three women will probably face James L. Campbell when he is brought up in a Portland federal court to answer charges of white slavery. Two women have been heard from, according to Ben Fisher, white slave deputy, and Campbell answers well the descriptions given.

TO WASTE NO TIME

DREDGE MICHE WILL BE ALWAYS READY TO WORK

Will Lay in Lower Bay Instead of Always Coming Back to Empire.

EVIDENCE ALLOWED

BARNES' TESTIMONY IT TO STAY IN THE RECORDS

AMONG THE SICK

There were three operations at Mercy hospital yesterday morning. Mendez E. Kinney of North Bend, Mrs. W. Eckenhoff and Mrs. Larson undergoing minor ones. All are reported doing nicely.

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GERMANY SENDS FORMAL REGRET

Ambassador Bernstorff Presents it to Secretary Bryan at Washington, Today

NEITHER WILL TALK

Official Text of Expression Has Been Delayed Because of Wireless Trouble

PRESIDENT WILL DECIDE

It is Up to Him to Lay Out Policy Which Will Be Followed—Senators Give Them Their Positions

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WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—German Ambassador Bernstorff, accepting an authentic text of Germany's formal expression of regret for the loss of Americans on the Lusitania, which was received in last night's news dispatches, formally presented the statement today to the State Department. The official text has not yet reached the Embassy because of difficulties with the wireless.

PRESIDENT WILL DECIDE

President Wilson said he would make a decision on the policy to be followed in the Lusitania case as soon as he had all the elements in mind. The President made it clear he was expressing a personal attitude last night and not referring to any particular case. While the Philadelphia audience last night was not impressed with the belief that the President was referring specifically to the Lusitania, the President indicated by remarks today that he meant his speech to be broader than a single incident and further enter the subject of foreign relations, so far as the subject of domestic solidarity with reference to aliens naturalized in America.

PRESIDENT WILL DECIDE

At the usual hour the Cabinet members arrived for their first conference with the President since Friday. Chairman Stone of the Senate foreign relations committee, discussed the Lusitania disaster with the President before the Cabinet meeting and later said he had no expectation an extra session of Congress would be called.

PRESIDENT WILL DECIDE

"I am for peace with honor," said Stone. "I do not know what the President plans to do about the Lusitania. Stone said he favored the passage of the government ship purchase bill which failed in the last Congress. He added that he took it for granted the United States would find means to protect her own ships.

PRESIDENT WILL DECIDE

The Cabinet was in session nearly three hours, the longest session held in several months. None of the members would deny the Lusitania incident had been discussed, but all refused absolutely to comment on it. No intimation was forthcoming as to whether the President had decided on a course, but there was every indication the President had decided not to allow any intimation of his plans to leak out until he is ready to make an announcement.

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Senator La Follette, another White House caller, opposed the suggestion that diplomatic relations with Germany be broken. "I want the United States to take a firm stand, but I am opposed to war," he said.

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Germany's disavowal of any intention to destroy American lives is looked upon by many officials as a significant of Germany's desire to maintain friendly relations with the United States.

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