

### OFFICIALS SEE TARGET PRACTICE OF ATLANTIC FLEET OF BATTLESHIPS

Secretary of Navy and Other Cabinet Officials to Witness Shooting.

(United Press Lead Wire.)  
Washington, Oct. 17.—Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, several of his fellow members of the cabinet and a number of members of the senate and house naval committees left the Washington navy yard today on the president's yacht Mayflower to witness target practice by the Atlantic fleet on the southern hill grounds outside the Virginia capes.

President Wilson was to have accompanied the party, but was detained in Washington on account, it was believed, of the Mexican situation.

The Mayflower was expected to arrive off the capes tomorrow morning.

The first division, consisting of the Utah, Arkansas, North Dakota, Delaware and Wyoming, will begin target practice about noon. The ships will be formed in battle column to "attack" the targets, which will represent the "enemy's" fleet about six miles distant.

During the day, the Florida, Virginia, Vermont and Connecticut will engage separately at elementary practice with their larger guns, in which various gun pointers and gun-captains will be tested as to marksmanship and skill in handling the great rifles. Tomorrow night the party will witness similar practice on the various ships, each, however, using torpedoes defense batteries. An interesting feature of the battle practice as conducted by the rules of the navy department, is that all competitions of gun crews are compared in hits per minute. Prizes and honors also depend on the ability of the gun crews to "start hitting the enemy at first."

### STATE EDITORS IN ANNUAL SESSION AT PRESS CLUB

(Continued From Page One.)  
Tonight the association and the Portland Press club will hold a joint meeting for the purpose of stimulating national interest in the erection of a monument to the late Homer Davenport, the celebrated cartoonist, at his birthplace in Silverton. Music will be furnished by the Silverton band, of which Davenport was a member.

**Davenport Monument Fund.**  
Application for the monument has already attracted much attention, and William Randolph Hearst has donated \$100 for the fund. It is anticipated that a definite plan for raising sufficient money to erect a fitting memorial will be decided upon tonight, and every member of the association in the city and of the Press club is urged to be present.

Among those who are scheduled to speak tonight are Governor West, C. S. Jackson, E. Hofer, John H. Stevenson, for the Press club, and J. K. Mount of Silverton.

Tomorrow forenoon will be spent viewing the various industrial plants and harbors and in the afternoon the reports of the officers, the transaction of new business and election of officers will take up the time. Adjournalment will be formally marked by a banquet in the green room of the Commercial club, given in honor of the visiting editors by the Manufacturers' Association. The banquet will be a strictly "Made in Oregon" affair, and viands served will be Oregon products.

This forenoon was given over to registration of visitors at the Press club, and Secretary Phil S. Bates was kept busy putting down names and addresses and introducing "pencil pushers" from the eastern part of the state to "pied type slingers" from the Willamette basin.

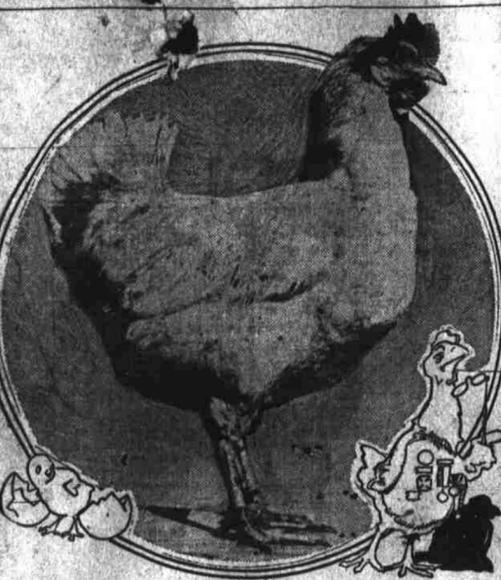
From 3 o'clock until noon new arrivals poured into the clubrooms. At 12 sharp all sat down to a sumptuous luncheon served in the club's dining room by the Press club. The feast consisted of a sea food collation, crabs and salmon, generously provided by Captain E. R. Budd, superintendent of the O.-W. R. & N. water lines, and the editors illustrated an address given later this afternoon by Elbert Bede of Cottage Grove on "How Editors Eat."

**Gawford Becomes Blogg.**  
As the guests took their places at the table Editor Crawford of the Heppner Times-Gazette sized up the situation in this wise:

"Holy mackerel! There are enough brains congregated here to run the government, bankrupt a bank, dig the Panama canal and settle the tariff question to the satisfaction of every man, woman, wool and timber man in the country."

The following program is scheduled for this afternoon:  
Address, R. H. Hughes, manager Pa-

### HEN C-543 WORTH HER WEIGHT IN GOLD



Oregon chicken is world beater.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Or., Oct. 17.—The college bred hen C-543, which on Wednesday last completed a year of laying by depositing her two hundred and ninety-first egg, broke, by an increase of nine eggs, the world's record, made in 1911 by a Canadian hen. The hen was also 18 eggs more than that of the former American champion, a product of the Missouri experiment station. The new champion is a direct cross between a Plymouth Rock and a White Leghorn.

There are several features worthy of note in the work of the Oregon hen. Previous to this time, for instance, all experiments have been carried on under the most intensive conditions. Five or six hens in a flock, and a large number of flocks to work with, have constituted the materials with which other breeders have labored. No commercial ventures could be carried upon such lines. To prove that a record-breaking hen could be raised under the conditions of the ideal commercial culture, Professor Dryden, head of the poultry department of the Oregon Agricultural college, outlined the system of breeding followed, resulting in the production of a marvelous fowl, under the usual methods of care and feeding.

Feeding and general care must be good in order to produce the best results. There were no valuable or dainty foods given the flock with which the experiment was carried on. Only the common feed given all the hens at the Oregon station was set before them. This consisted mainly of a moist mash, fed in the morning, and three times a week this was moistened with buttermilk, the other days with water. Whole

stains, Willamette valley oats and eastern Oregon wheat; green feed, such as kale and sometimes clover; and animal food, consisting of beef scraps, kept before them continually, completed the diet given the flock. The important part of the feeding was not in the kind of food fed, but in the manner of feeding. The ration was an Oregon ration, low priced, and one suitable to the purse of every poultry raiser in the state. An excessive amount of labor was expended in the care of the flock.

Fifty hens constituted the flock from October 15, 1912, until June, 1913. From that time on there were but 40 hens in the pen. The colony house was merely a movable house, costing about \$25 to build, 7x12 feet in diameter, with one end entirely open for ventilation. This type of house has been used by the Oregon station for several years, and has been recommended for use of the Oregon poultrymen for commercial use. The running pen was about 50x100 feet, roomy, but still not free range. A small scratching shed was made out of cheap lumber, to keep the fowls busy, both house and shed were moved twice onto fresh ground.

Another feature of interest is that the Oregon hen began laying when but five and one-half months old. She was hatched on April 29, 1912, and began laying on October 15. The eggs were larger than the eggs of the hen on most of the other experiments, averaging about two ounces each. In the 12 months she laid 86 pounds of eggs, or about nine times the weight of her own body.

Of all animals, this hen is pre-eminently the greatest producer of food.

cliff Christian Advocate; address of welcome, Mayor Albee; response, President Hofer; address, "Clean Advertising," A. G. Clark, president Pacific Coast Ad Men's association; address, "A Mutual Problem to be Solved," W. D. B. Dodson, trade commissioner Portland Chamber of Commerce; address, "The Shop, the Front Office and the Glass," Professor Eric W. Allen, University of Oregon; address, "Organization of G. Chapman, Portland Commercial club; address, "Panama Pacific Exposition," Colvin B. Brown; address, "How Editors Eat," Elbert Bede. The set program will be followed by discussions and five-minute talks by editors.

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**Editors Who Have Registered.**  
Those who registered at the Press club up to noon today were:  
Carle Abrams, Salem Statesman; D. N. Eyerle, Willamette Times; R. S. Newton, Florence Business Pilot; A. E. Goodrich, Eugene News; R. W. River Courier; H. E. Hodges, Silverton Appeal; Harvey P. Bennett, Canby Irrigator; C. C. Chapman, Portland Commercial club; address, "Panama Pacific Exposition," Colvin B. Brown; address, "How Editors Eat," Elbert Bede. The set program will be followed by discussions and five-minute talks by editors.

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### PEDDLER IS FINED FOR SELLING BAD APPLES

Extra fine apples on top, but scrubby ones underneath was what Mrs. J. E. Good of 795 Vaughn street found in the box she bought from O. W. Lawton, a peddler, whose arrest followed. This morning Municipal Judge Stevenson fined the peddler \$20 and ordered him to refund to the woman the price of the apples. Lawton was unable to raise the money. He was placed in jail.

### Hearing on Statutory Charge.

A. C. Snell, charged with a statutory crime, against a young girl, will be given a hearing before District Judge Dayton this afternoon. He is out of jail on \$750 cash bail. Louis Rouget, arrested as a witness, was released Saturday night on his own recognizance. Yesterday Deputy Juvenile Officer Fisher arrested Fred Storen 15 years old, on a similar charge. He will be given a hearing in the district court.

### England Lets Mexico Alone.

London, Oct. 17.—Officials of the English foreign ministry said tonight that so long as British residents in Mexico were untroubled, their government will consider the troubles there none of England's business. It was reported, however, that Germany was preparing heavy enforcement of its naval strength in Mexican waters.

### Sea Bed Sinks Off Tonosi.

Panama, Oct. 17.—Reports from Los Santos province told of a subsidence in the sea bed off Tonosi, as a result of the recent earthquake, making the water's depth 3000 feet, where it was formerly 1600.

Don't you feel sorry for people who are so perverse as not to like you.

Little Girls' Rainy Day Apparel  
"Bestyette" Rain Capes  
Special \$3.49

—For little girls from 4 to 14 years of age. The well known "Bestyette" make, full length, with arm slits. Buttoned down front, and have silk lined hoods which fit closely to head. Come in brown, red and blue. Each coat includes a rainproof school bag.

RUBBER CAPES  
Very Special \$1.49

—These are made of a good quality striped rubber, cloth lined. Full length, button down front. Plaid hood attached, which fits the head closely. A cape that will turn the rain and give fine service.

Girls' Raincoats, \$5.00

—These are made of good quality rubberized cloth in the regulation box style, double-breasted, full length, turn-down collars. Some are plain, others have fancy velvet collars and cuffs. Sizes from 6 to 14 years. Come in tan, red, blue and brown. —Fourth Floor.

\$1.50 Electric Flash Lights  
Special 65c  
The Pocket Size.

Free Lessons For Children Saturday In Embroidery From 10 to 12 A. M. —Second Floor.

Lipman Wolfe & Co  
"Merchandise of Merit Only"

Two Very Important Sales  
In Our Boys' Clothing Store  
500 Pairs \$1.25 Corduroy Pants  
For Boys, Ages From 6 to 17 Years  
Saturday 79c

—These knickerbockers are made of a golden brown corduroy of a splendid wearing quality and are fashioned in the regulation knickerbocker style. All the seams are taped throughout and are made and finished in the best possible manner. They have an inside belt and watch pocket.

Boys' \$7.50 Suits, Saturday \$5.00  
Including 200 New Navy Serge Suits  
Many Customers Have Been Awaiting

—Navy serges, natty mixtures, brown and mouse-colored corduroys. The fancy mixtures are in the one and two-pants styles. In either sack or Norfolk models with box or knife pleats. Every suit is neatly lined and finished in a manner usually found only in the highest-priced suits. In brown, gray and tan mixtures. Sizes from 6 to 18 years.

Boys' Suits for School and Dress Wear

—We are showing a complete line of new Winter suits for boys from 6 to 14 years of age in a wide range of models in sack and Norfolk styles. Many show English tailoring features, and the Norfolks are in the detachable and stitched belt styles. A large variety of handsome mixtures in tans, browns and grays in diagonals, stripes and novelty mixtures.

Prices Range From \$6.50 to \$16.50

Boys' Overcoats Are Now on Sale

—For boys from 2 to 18 years. All styles from the little reefer and Russian models for the wee boys to the English coats for their older brothers. A large variety of colorings and mixtures, also plain chinchillas. Made in lined and skeleton models, some of double-faced material with fancy plaid backs. All these coats are excellently made and fashioned in the most desirable manner.

Priced From \$3.50 to \$27.50

Boys' Newest Winter Hats 50c to \$1.50

—All the very latest styles in boys' hats of beaver, plushes, velvets, felts and suede. There are rah-rah styles, regulation sailor effect, middy caps, Tyrolean shapes. In browns, tans, grays and black. Finished with a smart grosgrain band of ribbon. In styles that are suitable for little boys two years old to the school boy of sixteen.

—Fourth Floor.

LEISHER'S  
Last Day of the Fleisher Yarn Demonstration  
—Free lessons in knitting and crocheting.  
—Second Floor.



Boys' Shoes That Wear Well and Look Well  
\$2.25 and \$3 the Pair

—These shoes are made to withstand the hard knocks of the real boy. Made of box calf in button or blucher lace, with medium round toes, plump soles and heavy drill linings.

Misses' Children's School Shoes

—For school wear we are showing a dull calf boot with matt calf top, button style, with tip of same material. Soles are sewed by Goodyear welt process and are made on wide nature lasts.

Sizes 6 to 8... \$1.75  
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 \$2.00  
Sizes 11 1/2 to 2 \$2.50  
Sizes 2 1/2 to 6... \$3.00

—We can also supply this shoe made over the same lasts for dress wear in a patent cloth vamp with matt calf top. A very dainty little boot at a moderate price.

NEW Peter Thompson Suits For Girls at \$14.50

—Fashioned in one-piece style, with wide dull leather belts. Of fine navy blue serge. Sizes 15, 17 and 19 years.

New Sport Coats for Juniors  
Special \$17.50

—Every girl desires a warm, easy-to-put-on, natty looking coat for general wear. There is no coat made at this time which fills these requirements as do the new sport coats. This special lot comes in camelhair stripes, two-toned bouches and diagonals. Made with wide belt across back, slightly cutaway front and large patch pockets. Finished with large buttons. Sizes for girls 14 to 19 years of age and for small women.

The Very Popular Wash Balkan Blouses For Girls, Special \$1.25

—These blouses are made of pure white galatea cloth in the regulation style with a wide belt, and pointed collar. In all white or trimmed on the collar and cuffs with red or blue cloth. Sizes to fit girls from 8 to 20 years.

Little Girls' \$3.50 Serge Dresses In a Very Unusual Offering Saturday Very Special \$2.29

—These attractive little garments are made of a fine blue or brown serge of excellent quality. Made in the straight Buster style with pleats and wide belt. Trimmed with embroidery on collar and some have little vest effects. Sizes 2 to 5 years.

Children's 85c Bloomer Dresses 59c

—Made in straight style with belt, either high or Dutch neck, long or kimono sleeves. Trimmed with narrow embroidery or contrasting colored bands. In pink or light blue gingham in checks or stripes. Complete with detachable bloomers of self material. Sizes 3 to 6 years.

### Children's Gloves

—In our glove department you will find a complete assortment of children's gloves in mocha, cape, golf and chamoiseette.

MISSIS' GLOVES \$1.00 to \$1.50 Pair

—Misses' two-clasp glove gloves in a full range of sizes and colors. Pique and over-seam sewn. Durably made and handsomely finished.

BOYS' GLOVES \$1.00 Pair

—Boys' overseam sewn lamb-skin gloves for dress wear.

GLOVES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS \$1.00 the Pair

—Boys' and misses' mocha gloves, Bacmo make, shown in tan and gray shades. Splendid gloves for wear.

CAPE GLOVES

—Boys' and misses' pique and P. X. M. sewn. Bacmo, Ekay and Dent makes. The same fine workmanship as the men's and women's gloves in these famous makes, in black, white and tan. Priced at \$1.125 and \$1.50. —1st Floor.



### Another Extraordinary Announcement About Girls' School Dresses

Of the Best Quality Sponged and Shrunk Serges  
Very Special \$4.95

That Sell Regularly at \$7.50 to \$11.50  
IN STYLES TO SUIT EVERY TASTE  
Sizes From 6 to 14 Years

—In one and two-piece styles, made of the best quality sponged and shrunk serges in navy blue, browns and black, also black and white checks. Made in the regulation sailor styles with large collars trimmed with soutache braid, emblems on shield and sleeve. Pleated skirts. Also Norfolk suits and waisted styles. The waisted models have belts of patent or dull leather or cloth and are trimmed in an innumerable variety of styles with contrasting materials and colors, touches of hand embroidery, fancy buttons, lace and embroidery and fancy braids.

Children's Knit Underwear  
In Sizes From 1 Month to 17 Years  
FOR KNIT UNDERWEAR NO STORE IS AS SATISFACTORY AS THIS STORE

—VESTS AND PANTALETTS, 25c TO 50c EACH—Of fine ribbed cotton, heavy and firm, ankle length.

—PANTALETTS AT 35c TO 60c EACH—Of fast black cotton, ankle length, heavy weight and firm.

—VESTS OR PANTALETTS, 40c TO 95c EACH—White or silver gray heavy wool mixed, perfectly tailored, hand-trimmed and finished. Also in white, medium weight wool mixed.

—VESTS AND PANTALETTS, 40c TO 80c—Flat weave, heavy wool mixed, made big and roomy for the growing bodies.

—UNION SUITS, 55c TO 90c—Of fine ribbed white cotton, medium or heavy weight. Low neck, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves or high neck and long sleeves.

—UNION SUITS, 80c TO \$2.05—Wool mixed, medium or heavy weight, in white, low neck, Dutch neck, knee or ankle length, high neck and long sleeves.

BOYS' UNDERWEAR  
—SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, 25c, 50c TO \$1.00 EACH—In sizes from 4 to 17 years. Of silver gray or white cotton, medium or heavy ribbed balbriggan, and medium weight white or blue wool mixed. Full size garments, extra strong, well made throughout.

—UNION SUITS, 75c, \$1.00 AND \$1.50 EACH—Of heavy silver gray cotton and medium or heavy weight ecru cotton or gray merino. Finely finished garments, in knee or ankle length. —Fourth Floor.

### ANOTHER SPECIAL OFFERING OF LITTLE Children's Hats, Special 98c

—Made of velvet, plushes and corduroys in mushroom, Tam, Tyrolean and various turndown and turnup brim styles. Well finished in every particular and trimmed with ribbons, bows and rosettes, silk cords and small feathers. These little hats are intended for street and play wear, but many of them are handsome enough for all occasions. For the little one from 2 to 6 years of age. —Fourth Floor.

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You're ambitious  
HERE FOR YOU THAT WILL  
to dress as well as  
HARMONIZE WITH YOUR  
the next man  
FACE AND FIGURE, AT \$3

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