

NEEDLEWORK DESIGNS
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THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow, with westerly winds; humidity 80.

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Kaiser Will Modify Diver Warfare Plan

German Ambassador Assures Secretary Lansing Country to Discontinue Sinking Enemy Ships Indiscriminately

U.S. SAYS ARABIC HIT WITHOUT WARNING

State Department to Insist on Germany Disavowing Torpedoing of Liner.

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—A code cable was received at the state department this afternoon from Ambassador Gerard. It was believed to be the ambassador's report on his conference with Foreign Minister von Jagow.

Cost of 'Planting' Trout by State is Said to Come High

Investigation Reveals That Little Fish Cost on Average of \$38.50 Pound.

Trout at \$3.98 the pound is pretty high fish. Trout at \$15.40 the pound is food for the gods. But the state of Oregon is greater than the gods, for she pays the modest sum of \$38.50 the pound for the trout she raises. Which is the reason that R. E. Clanton, master fish warden, is going to desert the pavements and the troleys of the metropolis for the quiet and seclusion of the little village of Bonanza, Ore. It is also the reason that I. N. Fleisher and Frank Warren, two members of the state fish and game commission, insisted upon Mr. Clanton's resignation at the recent "star chamber" session of the commission at Salem, if not the reason for those dark and mysterious sessions. It is not the reason, however, for Governor Whitcomb's refusal to stand for Clanton's retirement.

Mrs. Taft Arrives with Party to Spend the Day in Portland

Wife of Former President, with Daughter and Other Relatives, on Way South.

Mrs. William Howard Taft, wife of the former president of the United States, accompanied by Miss Helen Taft, her daughter, Miss Marie Herron, her sister, Miss Louise Taft, daughter of Charles P. Taft, spent today visiting in Portland.

Severe Storm Hits South California

Freak Rainstorm, Gales and Cloudbursts Sweep Three Houses Away; Damage Railroad Bridge.

Los Angeles, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Freak rainstorms, gales and electrical disturbances accompanied by terrific gales of wind, swept over many parts of southern California, Arizona and New Mexico today.

Dispute Over War Leads to Shooting

German Hotelman at Santa Rosa is Wounded by Man Who Had Been Ousted From Kestery.

British Ambassador Confers on Cotton

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The British ambassador, Sir George Buchanan, this afternoon conferred with Secretary of State Lansing regarding cotton, which the British recently declared absolute contraband.

Ten Thousand Strikers Quit At Bridgeport

Munitions Plants, Stores, Other Industries Crippled Because Employees Quit; Ask More Pay.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Bridgeport is strikebound today. Upwards of 10,000 men and women are out, practically all demanding increased wages and an eight-hour day, and a half dozen industries of the city are all but tied up.

ONE OF STRONGEST OF EUROPEAN FORTRESSES

Slavs Surrender When They Realize Further Resistance Useless.

Berlin, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Advance guards of the German forces reached Bielsostok today to find that the Russians had apparently evacuated the city. It was announced.

BEND LUMBER YARD IS SWEEPED TODAY BY STORM DRIVEN FIRE

Construction Work Will Receive Setback as Result of Destruction of Stock.

Bend, Or., Aug. 26.—Driven by one of the worst wind storms of the year, a fire, blown from the refuse, burned near by, practically destroyed the entire lumber yard of Bend Lumber company late Wednesday. Only by a change of the wind was the sawmill and planing shed saved.

Fight Italy or We Quit, Says Turkey

Paris Receives Advice That Turkey Threatens Separate Peace Unless Germans War on New Poo.

Paris, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—It was semi-officially reported here today, after the receipt of dispatches from Athens, that Turkey has threatened to sign a separate peace unless Germany at once declares war on Italy.

Will Fight Against Bigger Army, Navy

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Representative Claude Kitchen of North Carolina, chairman of the house naval committee, today declared that he will fight the proposed big increase in the strength of the army and navy.

Man Indicted With Taggart Is Guilty

"Bud" Gibson, Unexpectedly Enters New Files to Indiana Election Conspiracy Indictment.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—James (Bud) Gibson, one of more than 100 men indicted with the Democratic National Committee man Tom Taggart and Mayor Bell, on a charge of conspiracy to corrupt the Marion county election, today unexpectedly entered a plea of guilty.

Brest Litovsk Falls Before German Army

Main Fortress Base of Russian Field Forces, 120 Miles East of Warsaw, is Captured by Mackensen.

BOMBS ARE TOSSED UPON BAVARIANS BY FRENCH AIR RAIDERS

Sixty-two Aviators Bombard German Munition Factories at Dilligen.

Paris, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Sixty-two French aviators bombed the German munition factories at Dilligen, Bavaria, in the greatest aerial raid of the war, the war office announced today.

Sinks German Submarine

London, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Flight Commander Bligh of the British aerial squadron, sank a German submarine single handed off Ostend by dropping bombs upon the hostile craft from his aeroplane, it was announced today.

Serbians Attack Hungary

Nish, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The bombardment of Peteravard, Hungary, by a Serbian aeroplane, was officially announced here today.

Federal Court Fines Santa Fe Railroad for Violating 16-Hour Law; Also for Failure to Equip Cars

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—After having pleaded guilty to violating the federal law prohibiting trainmen from working more than 16 hours a day, the Santa Fe Railroad company was fined \$50 for each of five different offenses in this particular on a cloudburst, swept the Tocate valley, 30 miles southeast of San Diego, shortly before noon. At San Diego three adobe houses were washed away, and a bridge of the San Diego & Arizona railway slightly damaged. No one was drowned, the inhabitants taking to the high ground when the cloudburst began.

Cloudburst Strikes Tecate; None Hurt

Town Near San Diego is Drenched, Three Houses Washed Away by the Torrent.

Two Disappear in Boat

Marysville, Cal., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Anxiety is felt today over the fate of an unknown couple, each about 25, who hired a rowboat here last night and have not been seen since. A motorboat is searching the Feather river and certain prominent man who is openly accused of connection with them.

Hopkins on Hand At Bend School

Bend, Or., Aug. 26.—H. L. Hopkins, the new superintendent of schools here, arrived a few days ago and has rented the J. E. Larsen home in Kenwood.

Finland Sails for New York

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—The Panama-Pacific liner Finland has left for New York with 500 passengers and 2500 tons of general cargo.

Haitians Shoot At Troops in Port-au-Prince

Admiral Caperton Wires Navy Department That American Forces Fired Upon; No Casualties.

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Haitians shot upon American troops today at Port au Prince, according to a wireless dispatch to the navy department from Admiral Caperton, in charge of the American forces in Haiti. No casualties were reported by Admiral Caperton.

Marines May Go to Haiti

Philadelphia, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The cruiser Tennessee sailed from Philadelphia under sealed orders today with a company of marines and an artillery battalion aboard. The warship is believed to be en route to Guantanamo and thence to Haiti.

Gov. Dunne Pleads for Abolishment of Capital Punishment

Declares Rope and Chair Do Not Act as Deterrents of Crimes or Killings.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Governor Dunne of Illinois made a plea for the abolishment of capital punishment before the governors' conference here today. He asked the cooperation of other executives in doing away with the scaffold and electric chair.

Overworked Train Men and Is Fined

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Edison's New Invention Successful

Thomas Edison's new electric battery for submarine propulsion today was pronounced a success by Commander Bailey in his report to the navy department.

Blast Kills Convict

Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—George Edwin 48, convict at Folsom prison, died today from injuries received late Wednesday while he was working in the prison stone yard.

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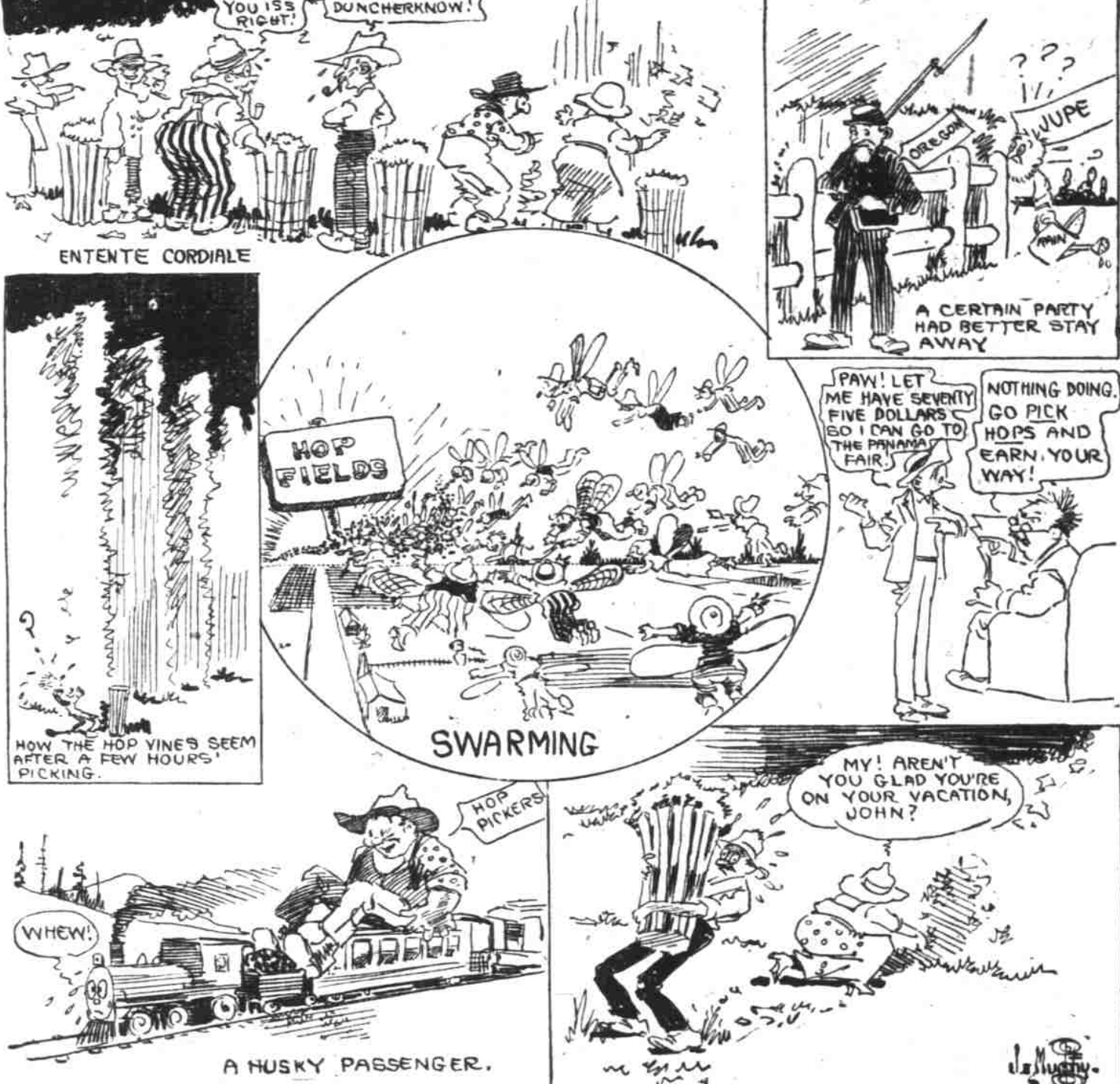
PAYS ON ALASKAN LINE

Washington, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The United States today made the initial payment of \$50,000 on the \$150,000 purchase price for the Alaska Northern railway. Legal complications delayed this payment for two months.

Pioneer Operator Dies

Hood River, Or., Aug. 26.—T. A. Pieplow, 60, pioneer telegraph operator, stricken Sunday with apoplexy, died last night. He is survived by a widow and three daughters.

THE HOP FIELDS ARE CALLING!



BRITAIN TAKES OVER ALL WAR SUPPLY PLANTS

Official Announcement Says Government Hereafter Will Regard Munitions Manufacture State Function.

ORDER INCLUDES ALL FACTORIES IN EMPIRE

Action Believed to Be Result of Dissatisfaction of David Lloyd-George.

London, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Britain today took hold of the manufacture of munitions as a state function. An official announcement by the press bureau declared that all ordnance factories in the British empire would be immediately taken over by the government, and would be under control of the ministry of munitions.

German Submarines Destroyed by Ships

Allied War Boats Bombard Divers' Shed at Zebrugga and Wreck Several Undersea Craft.

London, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Several German submarines were destroyed by allied warships bombarding the submarine sheds at Zebrugga, according to a Central News Agency dispatch from Amsterdam this afternoon.

Steamer Windsor Sunk

London, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The British trawler Integrity has been torpedoed by a German submarine, according to advices received here today. The crew was saved.

Says Merchantman Has Gun for Divers

Tampa, Fla., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—The Leyland steamer Alexandria, now en route to Galveston to load cotton for England, carries guns to use against possible attacks by German submarines, according to the story of William Robinson, sailor, who remained behind when the vessel sailed.

Few Diamonds of Stolen Ring Found

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Having apprehended five suspects in the Coronado Strand hold-up and \$10,000 diamond robbery, the police were bending all their efforts today to recover the other half of Mrs. Elizabeth Rice's necklace.

Lost—Opera Glasses

The Journal Want Ad section is an everyday bargain base. The greatest variety of a little bit of everything in fact this section is Portland's most popular clearing house for thousands of "Want Ad" users.

Automobiles Wanted—75

"LAINIE" 5 pass auto, 6 cylinder, room for 2 extra seats, 1910, 2500 miles, exchange for light 4 or 5 pass.

Swap Column—25

"WHAT have you to trade for 250 shares in the Washougal Coal & Copper Mining Co.?"

Lost and Found—21

"LOST and Found—21 or car, opera glasses.

Furnished Houses—36

"FIVE room bungalow, neatly furnished, near Laurelhurst park, \$30."

Apartments—43

"FURNISHED and UNFURNISHED "MODERN" well furnished 2, 3 and 4 room apts., \$18 up."

Nurses—90

"POSITION as practical nurse by middle aged woman, country or city."

For the above and all other WANT Ads see classified pages 12 and 14.