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ALLIED OFFENSIVE INCREASES IN MAGNITUDE ON WEST FRONT LINES AND IN THE TRENINO

Field Marshal Haig Forces Relinquishment by Foe of an Additional Patch of Belgian Territory West of Warneton—French Increase Pressure on Hindenburg Line.

ITALY STARTS NEW DRIVE AGAINST AUSTRIAN POSITIONS IN TRENINO

London Entertains Hopes That Russia Will Be Revived Into Active Participation in the Fighting on Much Weakened Front.

GENERAL HAIG ISSUES STATEMENT
Field Marshal Haig issued a special order of the day, congratulating General Plumer and the army under him for its success, which he said was "an earnest of an eventual victory for the allied cause."
"The full effect of the victory cannot yet be estimated," the British commander-in-chief declared. "But that it will be great is certain. The British losses from a battle of such magnitude were gratifyingly light."
"Nothing can save the enemy from complete defeat. Brave and tenacious as the German troops are, it is only a question of how much longer they can endure a repetition of such blows."
An announcement was made today that the total number of prisoners taken in the record day of last week by the Canadians was 169, including four officers.

By Ed L. Keen
London, June 12.—(U. P.)—On every western front today allied pressure was squeezing the Teutonic grip with increasing strength.
Field Marshal Haig, profiting by his newly won and dominating positions on the Wytschaete-Messines ridge, forced relinquishment by the enemy of an additional patch of Belgian territory just west of Warneton, and according to front dispatches today, was gaining elsewhere on this same general front.
To the south the French pressure on the base of the now badly battered Hindenburg line was steadily increasing on a conflict marked by intense artillery.

Italy Begins New Offensive
At this particularly timely moment, Italy is apparently starting on another offensive. This time the blow is in the Trentino—adding another theatre of actively fighting to the great war of Italy.

Italy has just concluded the first stage of one highly successful offensive in the Carso. Austria must keep great forces ready to meet the menace of General Cadorna's ever tightening grip on Trieste now almost in sight of the Italian fighters. Today she must likewise hurry reserves to the Trentino, in efforts to stop encroachment on her own territory.

Swallow Shift to Teutonic Ground
What makes the new Italian drive of particular interest is the fact that the fighting is over Teutonic ground. It is one of the few places in the world war in Europe where the battle brought home to them, on their own land.

There is still hope here that Russia may be revived into active participation in the fighting. Just now military experts realize Germany has thinned her lines in the east in order to mass reserves against allied attacks elsewhere.

Germany Realizes Situation
Dispatches received here indicated full realization in Germany of this situation. The emphasis was laid on reports of anxiety felt in Germany.

NEW AMERICAN DIVER CAUSES SENSATION IN FRANCE, SAYS PAPER

Tiny Craft Built to Exterminate German U-Boats; More to Follow.

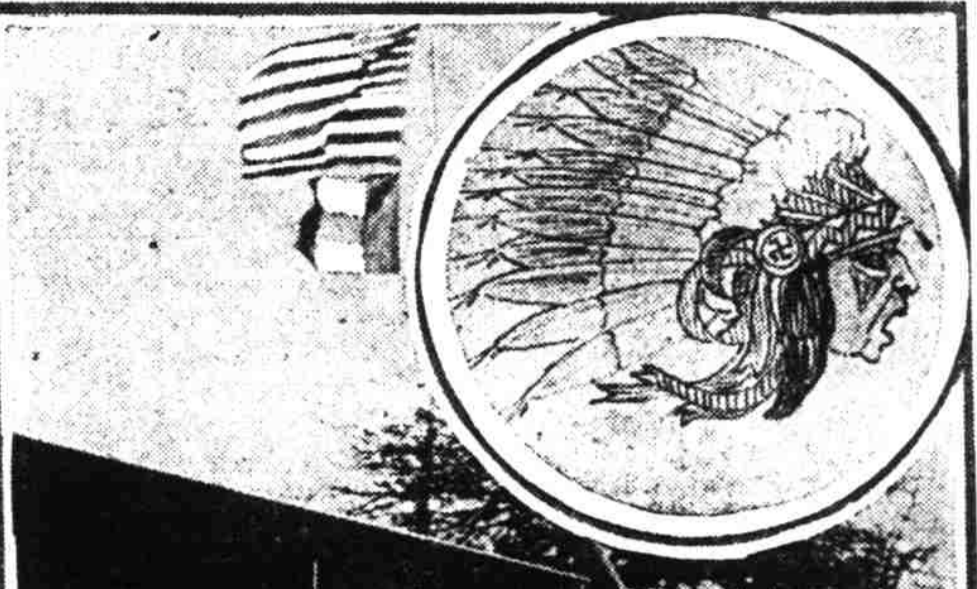
Paris, June 12.—(U. P.)—A new American submarine hunter, which has just arrived at a French port and created a sensation because of its radical departure from pre-conceived ideas of shipbuilding, was described by Le Journal today.

The vessel, it was stated, is nearly 100 feet long, is propelled by gasoline, and is capable of the enormous speed of 30 knots. By a special arrangement, the boat's fuel is replenishable at sea, long tubes connecting with a ship's reservoir.

Disabled U-Boat Is Found by Spaniards

Madrid, June 12.—(U. P.)—The German submarine U-52, disabled by shell fire, was found off the Spanish coast by a Spanish torpedo boat and towed into port at Cadiz, where the vessel was dismantled, said a dispatch from Cadiz today.

EDWARD E. Hinkle of the Lafayette Escadrille, standing in front of his airplane, which was the first to carry the American flag over the French lines. Below the stars and stripes is the flag of the Escadrille, which bears an Indian head in red, white, blue and yellow. The emblem was designed by Corporal Hinkle. Insert shows Hinkle's drawing of the Indian head, which is now painted on all American aeroplanes.



German Guns Belch Fire
Paris, June 12.—(U. P.)—Active artillery fire from German guns at several points and repulse of enemy raids was all the fighting activity in today's official statement.
The artillery fire was "rather violent," the war office said, against Californic plateau, southeast of Cor-

SHIPPERS ON COAST ASSERT FREIGHT RATE INCREASE WILL HARM CLYDE B. AITCHISON PRESENTS ARGUMENTS BEFORE INTERSTATE COMMISSION.

Washington, June 12.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—The 15 per cent freight rate advance case was characterized as a "threat of calamity" to the entire Northwest by Clyde B. Aitchison, former of the Oregon Public Service Commission, when arguing against lumber freight rate increases before the interstate commission today.

FOUR CADETSHIPS AT ANNAPOLIS OPEN TO YOUTHS OF OREGON

Representatives McArthur and Hawley Announce Nominations for Naval Academy.

Washington, June 12.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Representatives McArthur and Hawley today each announced two sets of nominees for vacancies at Annapolis Naval academy, subject to examinations, as follows:

McArthur named Joe D. Ingram, principal; Paul Riggs and Ingram Effinger, alternates. For second appointment, Marion Russell Kelley principal; Phillip LePeau and Harmon Chapman, alternates, all from Portland.

Hawley named Roger Whitten Simpson, Corvallis, principal; Paul Pierce, Salem; Manley Joseph Abbott, Seaside, and William E. Belt, Newport, alternates. For second appointment, Leslie Lee Richardson, Astoria, principal; Chester Elgin Adams, Myrtle Point; Robert Braco Grieve, Medford, and Hoyt W. Kerr, Corvallis, alternates.

Joe D. Ingram, first principal in the appointment made by Representative McArthur for Annapolis, is the son of G. W. Ingram, 1028 East Washington street. He is 17 years old and was graduated from Lincoln high school Tuesday night. He has a brother, William, who has completed his first year at the academy.

Paul Riggs, son of I. L. Riggs, 115 Hazel Fern Pike, Astoria, principal, Jr. of 891 Westover road, who are alternates, are also students of Lincoln. Marion Russell Kelley, 1103 East Nineteenth street, north, Phillip LePeau, 289 Grant street, and Herman Chapman of 824 Elizabeth street, are among those who took and passed the entrance examination given by Superintendent Alderman a short time ago.

ALL IS READY FOR OPENING OF ROSE FESTIVAL

President Wilson Will Press Button at 8 A. M. Wednesday Which Will Unveil Miniature Goddess of Liberty.

CHILDREN'S PARADE IS FEATURE WEDNESDAY

Big Event Will Be Held on Grand Avenue Beginning at 10 A. M.

Fire! With that one word—the word which is ringing all over the northern hemisphere as troops fight or train to fight—the 1917 Rose Festival will be officially opened at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning.
Battery A, Oregon National Guard, will fire a salute of 21 guns at the command of Captain Clayton.
From that moment until the curtain falls at 11:30 p. m. the three day fiesta will be replete with exhibitions of this country's loyalty and patriotism.
First will come the children's parade on Grand avenue. The costuming and drills all tend towards the one end—expression of patriotism. For days the cast side has abounded with children in red, white and blue costumes as they came from down the street under the watchful eye of Director Robert Krohn and his corps of assistants.
In the afternoon the fairy king and queen will be crowned on Multnomah field. There will be no admission charges for this feature.

Children's Parade Feature
The children's parade will be the big feature of the first day of the festival. It will be held at 10 a. m. and will feature thousands of Portland's public school pupils in patriotic drills and marching.
Cars running across the Morrison-Hawthorne or Burnside street bridges will carry guests from the west side, while all east side cars lead towards the center of the city.

When noon came today the plans for the 1917 festival had been completed as far as human endeavor could make them. There were the myriad of little details to be done on each succeeding event as those events arrive, but the big work was done and the committee had had a deep breath, figuratively speaking, and prepared to dig into the last task, the actual festival.
President Woodrow Wilson was the last man to assure the festival committee that he was ready. Through J. P. Tumulty, his secretary, he telegraphed that the arrangements were complete for him to touch the key at 11 o'clock a. m. Washington time, or 8 a. m. Portland time, which will cut loose the festival.

Wholesale Round-Up of the Slackers Is in Progress by Government Officials.

REVISED FIGURES OF REGISTRATION SHOW 9,250,000 FOR DRAFT

Enlistments Cut Oregon Quota
Washington, June 12.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Enlistments for the regular army from April 1 to June 6 in Oregon were 1999, whereas the Oregon proportion of troops to be raised was 1341. These are significant, because these enlistments are credited upon the quota under the draft, and excess of regular army volunteers means that many less to be drawn from Oregon in the draft.

Washington, June 12.—(U. P.)—Without drafting married men, men with dependent relatives, or men that claim exemption, America will still have at least 3,900,000 from which to choose her army.

Figures from 35 states compiled at Provost Marshal General Crowder's office showed that 1,968,727 men, including both whites and negroes, have claimed "no exemption."

Revision of the figures was made when the provost marshal general's office realized that in using census figures officials did not take into account the fact that about 500,000 men of eligible age already have volunteered for service in the regular army, national guard, navy and marine corps.

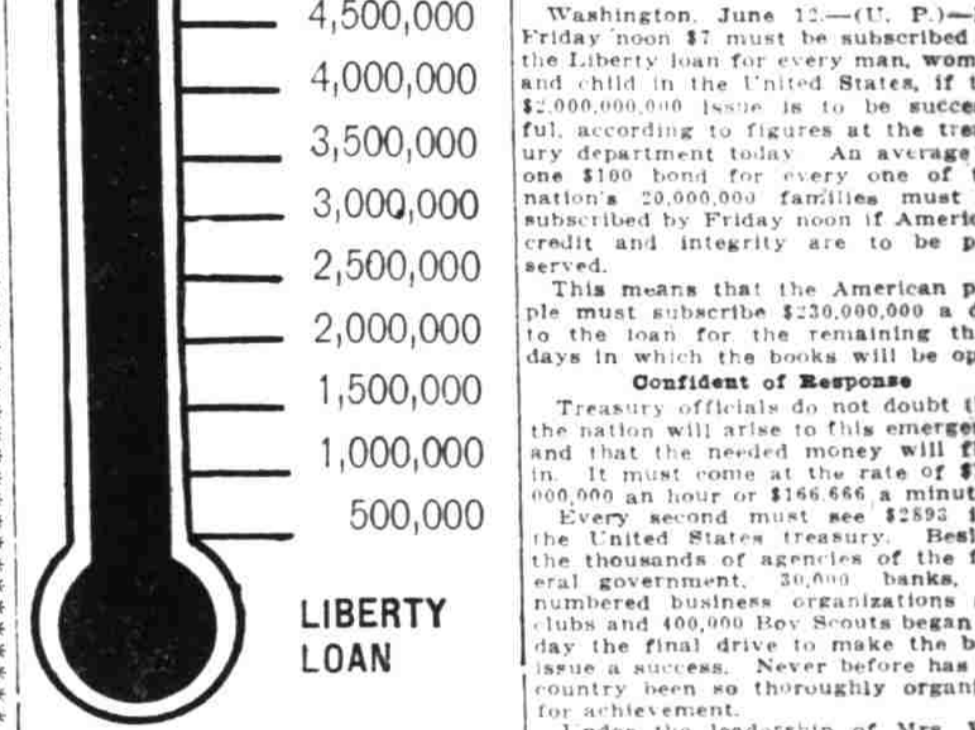
Another factor in the revision was belated realization that census bureau estimates—made previous to the war—did not take into account the fact

Bullet Punctures Boy's Windpipe
Roseburg, Or., June 12.—Adolph Hummel, a 17-year-old Yoncalla youth, was seriously injured on Sunday afternoon by a shot accidentally discharged by a young lady from a .22 caliber rifle. Hummel was fishing in a small stream and the young lady was sitting on the bank with the rifle in her lap when it discharged. The bullet puncturing the windpipe of the young Hummel. He was brought to the Mercy hospital at Roseburg, where it is believed he will recover.

LIBERTY LOAN MUST BE SUBSCRIBED BY FRIDAY; OREGON DOES HER SHARE

Watch It Rise EVERY PERSON MUST FURNISH \$7 TO THE LOAN

Treasury Officials Do Not Doubt the American People Will Arise to Emergency Nation Is Facing.



Washington, June 12.—(U. P.)—By Friday noon \$7 must be subscribed to the Liberty loan for every man, woman and child in the United States, if the \$2,000,000,000 issue is to be successful, according to figures at the treasury department today. An average of one \$100 bond for every one of the nation's 20,000,000 families must be subscribed by Friday noon if American credit and integrity are to be preserved.

What Every \$100 Liberty Bond Will Buy for the Army
Each \$100 Liberty bond will buy:
14 pairs of blankets.
50 cots.
25 shelter tents to accommodate 64 men.
400 pairs of socks.
82 flannel shirts.
36 pairs of marching shoes.
16 woolen khaki suits.
42 cotton khaki suits.
12 woolen overcoats.
\$20 of your \$100 Liberty loan bond will buy a cooking range, which will take care of an entire company of 150 men.
Each \$100 Liberty loan bond will equip one soldier for the front, and \$500 will keep him a year.
Buy a Liberty bond today.

OREGON TO HAVE 130 MEN IN SECOND CAMP

Application Blanks for Those Desiring to Enter Will Be Ready June 15 to Be Mailed to Vancouver Barracks.

Washington, June 12.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Preliminary arrangements for the second series of officers' reserve corps training camps, which have just been announced, show the following quotas of the far west:

NEW CLUE FOUND IN RUTH KRUGER CASE

New York, June 12.—(U. P.)—The discovery of a woman's glove and coat cover buried in the cellar of a Harlem motorcycle shop today gave the police a new and valuable clue to the mysterious disappearance of Miss Ruth Kruger. The shop was owned by Alfredo Cocchi, who was last seen with Miss Kruger before she disappeared four months ago, and who secretly fled to Italy a short time ago, deserting his wife and children. The police are digging up the entire cellar in the hope of finding further clues or perhaps the body itself.

U. S. Army Medical Unit Is in France

Paris, June 12.—(U. P.)—An American army medical unit comprising 180 men and 25 women nurses has arrived at a French town, it was announced today. The unit is from Chicago, it was accorded a hearty welcome.

Liberty Loan Facts
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WAKE UP—AMERICA!
A few months ago, the German government offered a new loan of several billion dollars, and although this issue had been preceded by four or five other government bond offerings, it is reported that applications were received from 5,250,000 subscribers, or nearly 8% of the population.
The population of Germany is about two-thirds of the population of the United States, and her wealth has been estimated at about one-third of the wealth of the United States.
We are now at war with this nation, which can accomplish such astounding financial results as the above. Outside of military considerations, it is no child's play for our democracy to fight the Prussian autocracy, even in a financial way. It is the duty of every American citizen to invest a part of his income in Liberty Bonds, and by so doing prove to the German people our courage and our faith in the ideals for which our country stands.
BUY A LIBERTY BOND TODAY AT YOUR BANK AT THE DEPARTMENT STORE, AT YOUR POSTOFFICE

EACH \$100 LIBERTY BOND WILL CLOTHE, ARM AND EQUIP ONE SOLDIER---IF YOU CAN'T BE ONE, HELP OTHERS