

OREGON BANKERS' ASSOCIATION HOLDS ITS 13TH ANNUAL CONVENTION AT BEND



Bankers of the state were enthused with the hospitality of Bend and impressed with the resources in timber and agriculture of the great interior region. Photo by Elite Studio, Bend.

E. G. Crawford, newly elected president of the Oregon Bankers' association, with other Portland bankers, returned this morning from Bend, where the thirteenth annual convention of the association closed Saturday evening.

before, and I am sure the harmonious cooperation evidenced at the convention will be reflected in one war drive after another during the year.

Therefore the enthusiasm with which the bankers of this state agreed to add their energy and support to the war savings campaign and to do all that they can to see that the remaining \$14,000,000 of Oregon's quota is subscribed by June 28, they are actuated by but one motive, and that is patriotic desire to help the government finance and win the war.

which was committed at the Bend convention. "The hospitality of the stirring city of Bend was beyond measure. The bankers of Bend, the Commercial and Emblem clubs were prodigal with entertainment, and their welcome was so generously sincere that every one of us will not only want to return, but will have a perpetually kindly feeling for the town. Particularly impressive and delightful was the Emblem club banquet Saturday evening.

"It was a great benefit to the bankers to get out into the Central Oregon country and to see for themselves the unlimited resources in timber and agriculture which we have heard talked about a long time, but the extent of which no man could realize without going to see for himself. I know that a number of the bankers have returned convinced that we must keep in closer and more cooperative touch with the constructive enterprises of that great empire."

Children to Continue Work Notwithstanding the national drive of June 28, the organization among the school children in Multnomah county will not be permitted to go to seed during the vacation period. There is still work for the children to do, and even though the quota of \$17,500,000 is pledged in one day, as is hoped, the sale of stamps through the children will continue for the remainder of the year.

State Headquarters of the W. S. S. Campaign will be established in the Liberty temple until July 1. The first office to take up quarters in the temple today was Mr. Reed, in charge of the Third congressional district. By evening the staff will be located in the temple, and that will be the place for the public to seek information on the stamp question.

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Pasadena Grabs Star as Own Pasadena, Cal., June 10.—(U. P.)—Replacing the late lamented eclipse as an astronomical attraction we now have Nova, the new star.

Also Seen in Europe London, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—A new star of the first magnitude in the constellation of Aquila has been discovered by Professor Felix DeRoy, secretary to the Antwerp Astronomical society, the Daily News announces.

Hardy Reception Set for Tonight Japanese Consul Will Participate in Program to Be Held at Auditorium.

Preparations have been completed for the public reception being tendered to "Commodore" W. H. Hardy at The Auditorium tonight.

Invitations have been sent to the Japanese ambassador at Washington, to the secretary of the United States navy and to other prominent government officials. The new Japanese consul, M. Shigenaita, and representative Japanese residents of Portland will participate.

Governor Withcombe, officers of the army and navy and various city officials will be present. Members of Scout Young camp, Spanish War Veterans, will act as ushers. Music on the organ will be furnished by W. R. Boone. No admission is charged.

Mr. Hardy recently returned from a mission to Japan, during which he traveled many thousands of miles through the country and spoke before more than 500,000 people at public meetings. He will tell the story of two visits to Japan at tonight's reception. The first visit was with the expedition of Commodore Perry in 1852, when Japan entered upon negotiation of a trade treaty with the United States. The second visit, from which Mr. Hardy recently returned, was made in response to an invitation of the Japanese people.

Mr. Hardy passed through many wonderful experiences while in Japan and brings a patriotic message from the Japanese nation to the people of the United States.

ALLIED CAUSE TO WIN, SAYS BRITON

Present Moment Most Grave of War; U. S. Soldiers Looked Upon With Confidence.

London, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—"One of the permanent results of this war, is that Great Britain and the United States will never again misunderstand one another," declared Attorney General Sir Frederick E. Smith, in an address at the Palace theatre on Sunday night preliminary to a concert given for American soldiers and sailors. The Americans were fervently invited "to accept England as their bighty."

(Blighty is the British army slang for home.)

"The heart and courage of Great Britain today beat as high as in August, 1914," continued Sir Frederick. "When you know France, as well as you will write home to America the same message regarding your unconquerable ally. However, without inexhaustible American soldiers, the enemy's preponderance of numbers would have smothered for centuries and perhaps for all time, our civilization. History shows that the gravest mistake any nation ever made was to forbid the great American people the right to sail the Atlantic except with boats painted with the German colors.

"Of all the moments of the war none gave more anxiety than those we face today. We will face weeks and maybe months of it. But we will go through, as Premier Clemenceau said, first, because we have supreme confidence in our cause; and second, because of the inter confidence of the allies. The same great weapon which broke Napoleon still exists and, coupled with American mobilization, will vindicate right. The English, knowing your history, especially that of the Civil war, do not underestimate American valor."

Royal Arch Masons Open Convocation

The fifty-seventh annual convocation of the Royal Arch Masons of Oregon is in session in the Masonic temple today. S. M. Yoran of Eugene, grand high priest, presided, assisted by a full staff of officers and representatives from 27 local chapters. The convocation will close its labors this evening.

Haig Repulses Attack

London, June 10.—(U. P.)—"A hostile attack in the Aveluy wood last evening was repulsed," Field Marshal Haig reported today. "We conducted a successful raid northwest of Bethune yesterday."

SURVIVORS RELATE U-BOAT ENCOUNTER

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pulling away the submarine opened fire on the vessel and continued to pour shells into it until it started to sink.

GEDDES COMMENTS ON NEW RAID OFF AMERICA

By Arthur E. Mann London, June 10.—(U. P.)—"It is too early yet to forecast what the presence of a German submarine off the American coast may portend," said Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, in an interview with the United Press today.

"On the one hand, it may be merely a sporadic raid similar to that carried out by the U-53 earlier in the war, or it may mean the beginning of a serious submarine campaign off the American coast.

"The vigorous British anti-submarine campaign in our waters has made submarines every costly to the Germans and perhaps they calculate on getting better results along the American coast. In this, however, they will undoubtedly be disappointed, since all our experience over here has been placed without reservation at the service of the American administration, which will thus be able to base its anti-submarine measures on practical results.

"There is no indication that there has been a sudden increase in the number of enemy submarines. On the contrary, there is no doubt we are sinking submarines faster than the Germans are building them."

Sir Eric pointed out that there is some advantage in forcing the submarines to operate farther from the German bases. "The longer they have to travel to reach the operating zone, the less fuel and supplies they will have and consequently the less time they will have to spend in the operating zone," he said.

May Have Fuel Depot In reply to a question in regard to the type of submarine operating in American waters, the first lord declared.

"Possibly a submarine of the converted Deutschland type is being used. I do not believe she is of the much talked of giant submarine type, but is probably of a type with a long cruising and operating radius."

Sir Eric said it is possible the Germans might have been able to establish a fuel depot on the American coast at some isolated point, but he does not believe a submarine base has been established.

Red Spot Seen Above Moon

Writing to Meteorologist Edward L. Wells, chief of the United States weather bureau in Portland, W. P. Beach of Seattle tells of the discovery of a red spot directly above the moon when that body totally eclipsed the sun on Saturday afternoon.

The spot, so far as Mr. Wells has been able to determine, is a mystery. His informant watched the eclipse from near Chehalis, Wash., and confirmed his finding by several witnesses. He declares:

"This tiny red spot of flame was visible above the moon entirely through the period of totality," the letter received this morning, says. The writer submitted a diagram giving the location of the peculiar spot. Mr. Beach adds a note as to the peculiar appearance of grass and bushes near Chehalis during the period of totality. Their color was

Rescued Seamen Landed

An Atlantic Port, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Seventy-eight distressed seamen were brought into this port today aboard an American steamer. Thirty of them were from the steamer City of Wilmington, which burned at sea. Twelve were from the schooner City of Pennsylvania, and 38 were from the steamer Marlan, both of which were lost some time ago.

Undersea Cruisers Off Atlantic Coast

Vienna (via London), June 10.—(I. N. S.)—The Vienna Neuste Press says the U-boats operating off New York are cruisers which can make a speed from 12 to 15 knots and have a tonnage of from 2500 to 3000. It takes them 20 days to cross the Atlantic and they carry food for two months, the paper says.

Seven "Subs" in U. S. Waters, Report

London, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Patrick Devitts, Genoa correspondent of the Express, learns from Hamburg advices that seven U-boats, three of them of the latest and largest type, and the others of a smaller size, are operating in American waters.

Third Star of Its Kind in 800 Years

This is the third star of this type reported in 800 years. Its intense brilliancy and mysterious character mark it. Astronomers believe it may have approached the earth 20,000 years ago. Its rapidly increasing brightness indicates that it may have joined the solar system. The seven leading observatories of the nation have been notified and are observing the stranger.

Advertisement for SIMON'S THE STORE OF BARGAINS. Features Tuesday Offerings: Hats for Men, Groceries, and New Shoes for You. Includes prices for various goods like suits, coats, and shoes.

Large advertisement for MURAD THE TURKISH CIGARETTE. Features an illustration of a man in a military-style uniform holding a cigarette. Text includes 'Ready—aim—fire!', 'If I bring down a Murad I'm happy!', and '18 Cents'.