

MEXICAN EDITORS GUESTS OF PORTLAND

Moulders of Sentiment in Southern Republic Bring Good Feeling and Reflection of Spirit of Democracy in Western World.

As spokesmen for a nation of people not yet arrived at self-identification, as one of them expresses the opinion, the guests present Mexico's most intellectual circles—the literary, the artistic and the commercial population of their nation.

Representing the moulders of Mexican sentiment, charged with the ideals of a union in the economic and idealistic forces of the western hemisphere, 20 editors and literary men from the leading centers of Mexico thought are guests in Portland today and tomorrow.

TOLL IN EXPLOSION NOW PLACED AT 65 Scores More Are Numbered Among Injured as Result of Disaster Near Syracuse.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 3.—(I. N. S.)—The total number of dead in the explosion at Split Rock has now reached 65. Of the known dead only 17 have been identified at the morgue.

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EDITORS STUDY DEMOCRACY OF UNITED STATES

SOME of the 20 Mexican newspaper and magazine writers and publishers who are guests in Portland for today and Thursday. The gentlemen from the southern republic have brought to Oregon a keen appreciation of the work America and especially the Northwest is doing to aid in winning the war and in return for their many receptions here will spread the ideals of a union of economic forces between the United States and Mexico through the leading journals of that country.



BRITISH DOWN 43 BOEHE AIRPLANES

Three Observation Balloons Also Destroyed in Two Days of Air Fighting.

London, July 3.—(U. P.)—Forty-three German airplanes and three observation balloons were accounted for Monday, Monday night and Tuesday, according to the official aviation communique.

During the night of July 1-2, the enemy's airdrome at Boulay was successfully attacked, bursts being observed over the airdrome and huts.

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Washington, July 3.—More than 1,000,000 American soldiers have gone to France.

The exact number—1,019,115—was disclosed in correspondence between President Wilson and Secretary of War Baker dated Monday and made public Tuesday.

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ITALIANS ADVANCE ON 8-MILE FRONT

New Drive Under Way Between Old and New Piave River Channels.

London, July 3.—(I. N. S.)—The Italians have advanced from 2000 to 3000 yards on an eight mile front between the old and new Piave river channels, capturing several hundred prisoners, it was learned by the International News Service this afternoon.

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THOUSANDS WILL JOIN IN PARADE ON JULY 4

Melting Pot Will Be Symbolized With Foreign Born Americans Participating in Great Patriotic Demonstration Thursday.

Parade Will Start Moving at 10 o'Clock; Exercises Will Be in Auditorium in Evening With Dance Later for the Soldiers.

UNITED we stand, divided we fall. Thousands of persons of foreign extraction will join in the great demonstration Thursday in honor of Independence day.

Germany Deny They Sank Hospital Ship Amsterdam, July 3.—(U. P.)—Germany denied sinking the Canadian hospital ship Llandovery Castle, in a semi-official statement issued in Berlin today.

New Wire Control Measure Favored Washington, July 3.—(U. P.)—The house committee on commerce today ordered favorably reported a resolution to take over the telegraph and telephone lines.

Vienna Reports on Battle Vienna, via London, July 3.—(U. P.)—After fighting all day at the mouth of the Danube, the enemy was unable to succeed, slightly near Chisna-Nuova, the war office announced today.

Notice to Citizens of Foreign Birth Citizens of foreign birth are requested by their different chambers to be on hand promptly at 9:28 Thursday morning at the different points as follows:

Fourth of July Will Be Observed in France As National Holiday Paris, July 3.—(U. P.)—The first Fourth of July to be celebrated by the French as a national holiday will be observed tomorrow.

Oregon First to Raise Its W.S.S. Quota; Utah Is Near Victory

Three Distant Counties in State Have Yet to Make Report; Multnomah Over Top.

'Oregon First' in the W. S. S. drive. All available information gathered by the Oregon War Savings committee indicates that this state was first in going over the top in the campaign which ended Tuesday.

There are only three counties in the state which have not made their official reports of the termination of their campaign.

SENATOR TILLMAN DIES IN SERVICE Death Marks Passing of Unique and Interesting Member of Upper House.

Washington, July 3.—(U. P.)—Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, South Carolina, died at 4:20 o'clock this morning.

Price-Fixing Policy 'Leaks' Are Alleged Washington, July 3.—(I. N. S.)—Wall street manipulators have profited through 'leaks' on the government's price-fixing policy, the war industries board heard this afternoon and, as a result, Chairman Baruch has ordered an investigation.

Spanish Influenza Spreads Over Berlin Amsterdam, July 3.—(U. P.)—One hundred thousand cases of 'Spanish influenza' are reported in Germany. There are 25,000 cases in Berlin alone and the hospitals there are filled.

SHIPBUILDER WINS WAR SAVINGS STAMP Henry F. Price, 1595 East Glisan street, an employe of the Grant Smith-Porter shipyard, is another Portlander to be awarded a \$5 War Savings Stamp free by The Journal for finding his own name inserted in the want ad columns.

AMERICANS KEEP ON BATTERING GERMANS

Barrage Completely Cuts Off Attacking Force, Enabling Machine Guns to Annihilate Enemy; Big Booty, Prisoners.

Advance of Americans Penetrates German Line for Distance of Mile; Aviators Active While Counter Attack Is in Progress.

WITH THE AMERICANS ON THE MARNE, July 2.—(U. P.)—The Americans utterly demolished an entire counter attack on their new positions west of Chateau-Thierry this morning, taking 97 additional prisoners.

Hotel Clerk Sought; Safe Robbed in Night F. A. Clark, proprietor of Menlo Hotel, charges Frank L. Jones with theft of property estimated at \$8000.

U. S. Gross Debt Is Eleven Billions Washington, July 3.—(I. N. S.)—America's gross debt at the close of business April 30 was \$11,550,376,680.26, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo announced today. The net debt was \$10,694,823,785.55.

British Celebration Unique London, July 3.—(U. P.)—The allies' gratitude for America's participation in the war will be uniquely and effectively demonstrated in tomorrow's celebration of the Fourth of July throughout England, Scotland, France and Italy.

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