

# DOUBLEHEADER IS EVEN BREAK

### Braves and Superbas Play Two Games in Brooklyn—Marquard Scatters Hits

BROOKLYN, May 29.—Brooklyn and Boston broke even in the first double-header of the season today. Marquard kept the Braves' hits well scattered in the first game and Brooklyn won, 5 to 2, by bunching a triple and four singles in the fourth inning. Fillingim held the Superbas to four hits in the second game and shut them out, 3 to 0.

First game: R. H. E.  
 Boston ..... 2 10 0  
 Brooklyn ..... 5 10 0  
 Ragan and Henry; Marquard and Kreuger.

Second game: R. H. E.  
 Boston ..... 3 8 0  
 Brooklyn ..... 0 4 3  
 Fillingim and Henry; Cheney, Grimes and Miller.

Game Postponed. CHICAGO, May 29.—Cincinnati-Chicago game postponed; account of wet grounds.

New York 2, Philadelphia 5.  
 PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—By bunching hits in the seventh inning today Philadelphia defeated New York, 5 to 2, after the Giants had held the lead from the start.

Score: R. H. E.  
 New York ..... 2 8 3  
 Philadelphia ..... 5 8 0  
 Tesreau and McCarty; Prendergast and Burns.

Game Postponed. PITTSBURG, May 29.—St. Louis-Pittsburg game postponed; rain.

### DEMPESEY KNOCKS OUT PELKEY.

DENVER, May 29.—Jack Dempsey of Salt Lake City knocked out Arthur Pelkey, the Canadian heavyweight, in the first round of a scheduled 15-round bout here tonight. The bout lasted only one minute.

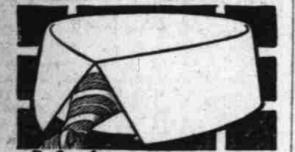
Dempsey opened the fight by rushing Pelkey, who stumbled and fell before a blow had been delivered. Pelkey regained his feet and went into a clinch. Dempsey sent a right to the chin and Pelkey fell to the canvas for a count of six. He again arose and Dempsey drove a left to the jaw, knocking Pelkey out.

### Third Member of Tennis Team to Be Picked Today

The elimination tennis tournament (singles) at Willamette university have decided two of the three men who will constitute the varsity team. Yesterday Nichols defeated McKittick 3-6, 6-3, 6-2 in three hard sets. At the same time Davies won from Sparks 6-1, 6-3, thus placing him and Nichols on the team. The third man will be chosen today when Sparks and Kittick play. A tournament with Salem high school will probably be secured soon.

### Chemawa Plays Baseball Team From W. U. Today

Chemawa and Willamette university will meet at Chemawa this afternoon in the final game of the season for both baseball teams. The local boys will not leave this city until after they have taken part in the Memorial day parade. Those who will probably represent the varsity are Dimick, Adams, Olson, McKittick, Davies, Spels, Story, Hickman, Medler and Fisher.



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# PHILLIES LOSE TWICE IN DAY

### Yankees Bat Geary Hard—Myers and Adams Fail to Hold Victorious Team

NEW YORK, May 29.—New York defeated Philadelphia in both games of a double-header today. Love easily won the first game, his teammates battling Geary hard. The Yankees also hit Myers and Adams hard in the second game. Six double plays were made in the second game.

Score: R. H. E.  
 Philadelphia ..... 2 7 2  
 New York ..... 7 9 1  
 Geary and Perkins; Love and Walters.

Score: R. H. E.  
 Philadelphia ..... 2 9 4  
 New York ..... 12 16 0  
 Myers and McAvoy; Finneran, Adams, Mozgridge and Hanna.

Boston Takes Two.  
 BOSTON, May 29.—Boston took both games of a double-header from Washington today, winning the first 4 to 2 and stopping Walter Johnson's winning bid shut out Washington in the second game.

Score: R. H. E.  
 Washington ..... 2 6 1  
 Boston ..... 4 10 0  
 Harper and Ainsmith; Mays and Schang.

Score: R. H. E.  
 Washington ..... 0 5 1  
 Boston ..... 3 7 0  
 Johnson and Ainsmith, Pieinich; Jones and Agnew.

Detroit 1, Cleveland 7.  
 CLEVELAND, May 29.—Cleveland won a postponed game from Detroit today, the game being called on account of rain. Third Baseman Evans rejoined the locals today and his batting with men on bases was a feature.

Score: R. H. E.  
 Detroit ..... 1 5 2  
 Cleveland ..... 7 10 0  
 James and Starnge, Yelle; Coumbs and O'Neill.

Decision Against Girl  
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lighted room which quickly filled with spectators as the word spread that the jury was ready to report.

After W. H. Meadows, foreman of the jury, had spoken the words which will send her to the penitentiary, Miss Lusk leaned her head back against her father's shoulder like a tired child.

After remaining quiet for a moment, her eyes closed, she slowly rose to her feet and despite Mr. Lusk's efforts to restrain her and quietly walked around the counsel table until she confronted Mr. Tullar. There was an utter silence as she paused dramatically before throwing herself at the aged man with a half choked cry which could be heard in every part of the building.

At midnight Miss Lusk was resting quietly in her cell under the influence of opiates. Judge Lueck after the outbreak requested counsel for the defense to hold all motions in abeyance and immediately adjourned court. Members of the jury said that ten ballots were necessary to arrive at the verdict.

Shooting on June 21, 1917.  
 Mrs. Roberts was shot and killed by Miss Lusk in the latter's home the afternoon of June 21, 1917. The tragedy followed a friendship extending back to the summer of 1914 between Dr. David Roberts, former state veterinarian, and nationally known as a manufacturer of proprietary medicines for cattle, and Miss Lusk had won distinction as an educator after having taken a degree at the University of Wisconsin. At the time she met Dr. Roberts she was a teacher in the Waukesha normal school.

After slaying Mrs. Roberts, Miss Lusk fired two bullets into her own body with the intention of ending her life but later recovered and for the past ten months has been held in the Waukesha jail. Her trial on a charge of murder began May 13.

High school girls of Los Angeles will aid in harvesting the fruit crop of Southern California, and the Los Angeles Times thinks they ought to do well among the peaches.



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# President of Sinn Fein Arrested for German Plot



PROF. EDWARD DE VALERA. Professor Edward de Valera, president of the Sinn Fein, was among the 500 Irish leaders arrested by the British government on the charge that they had engaged in a German plot. He was taken to London.

# GERMANS CONTINUE PUSH

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men were pushing hardest. The fighting has been continuous for two days through a country composed of a series of chalky plateaus, with winding valleys, whose slopes are half clothed with trees and containing many caverns. Along the top of one of the principal ridges runs the famous Chemin-des-Dames, from which valleys spread angularly towards the Aisne. The allied possession of this ridge compromised the security of the German southern flank.

Allied Line Thin.  
 The enemy's torrent of divisions, rolling forward, found only the thinnest line of allied troops facing the advance. These fell back before the irresistible pressure, retiring but it moved up forward became even stronger, for the Germans added their forces to it. Even the Aisne did not stay its rush.

The Germans followed the allies across the river and at the same time spread along the sides, the allies, having decided that it was useless to sacrifice men in efforts to hold these positions with too few defenders.

The southern slopes of the Aisne valley offered good ground to the allies to stand, had they been in sufficient force. But the Germans were in immensely superior numbers, and the allied commanders chose to retire to the plateau beyond and thus give an opportunity for the reserves to concentrate. It is probable that before the advancing German torrent weakens, further territory will fall into the hands of the enemy. That, however, in the opinion of French officers, will not affect the strength of the allied forces, which retain their striking power for the future.

Work as Single Unit.  
 The French and British kept in the closest touch throughout the battle, working together as a single unit. The spirit of comradeship was touching. Both in the ranks and along the roads wounded men of both nations, when able to walk, were helping each other toward the dressing stations, while all the soldiers indiscriminately gave aid, when possible. The reserves are moving, proceeding towards points where they can oppose the German rush. Among the allied troops of whatever nationality, despite their lost positions, confidence is great that the desperate effort of the Germans will not succeed in inflicting more than a glancing blow on the allied forces and that the present situation is only temporary.

Soissons Evacuated.  
 PARIS, May 29.—After desperate resistance and fighting in the streets lasting several hours, the French have evacuated Soissons, which the Germans occupied, according to the official announcement from the war office tonight.

Many Planes Downed.  
 WASHINGTON, May 29.—Two hundred and fifty-two German airplanes were brought down on the western front by allied aviators during the week ending May 23, according to advices received here today by the British military mission.

British People Calm.  
 LONDON, May 29.—The British people have received the serious events in France with their characteristic quiet and confidence. Their morale appears not to have been affected and there is not the slightest semblance of excitement in London.

In Flanders and Picardy the Germans are heavily bombarding French and British positions on various sectors and raiding operations are being carried out by both sides. No big battle has been begun. The British transport Leastowe

# GRANGE PROGRAM IS MADE KNOWN

### Chairman Lachmund Announces Some Features of Meeting Here Next Week

The committee in charge of the program for the coming convention of the state Grange to be held in this city next week, June 4 to 7, met at the office of Chairman Louis Lachmund yesterday and outlined the program substantially as it is to be carried out.

There is to be a banquet and reception in the armory in honor of the delegates and visiting brothers and sisters on Tuesday evening, June 4. Following this will be a program of addresses and music as follows:

Song, "America," by the audience.  
 Address of welcome by Governor Withycombe.

Vocal solo by Miss Ada Miller.  
 Address of welcome by Mayor Walter E. Keyes.

Reading by Mrs. Donald W. Miles. Address in behalf of the Commercial club by Manager Gill.  
 Patriotic address by Justice Wallace McCamant.

Response in behalf of the state Grange by C. E. Spence.  
 Male quartet, by Messrs. Todd, De Witt, Gilie and Barton.

Response in behalf of Pomona Grange by R. F. Smith.  
 Closing with patriotic song by the audience.

As one of the diversions of the convention autos will be provided by Salem citizens and the visitors given a sight-seeing tour of the city and surrounding country.  
 It is planned to have the initiatory work at the house of representatives. There will probably be not less than 600 delegates in the city in addition to many additional visitors, and the committee will endeavor to show that Salem is second to none in the matter of hospitality and entertainment. Among other little attentions it is planned to give each a suggestive souvenir—possibly a ribbon badge with a loganberry attached.

With the government taking over the carrier business of the Pullman company everybody ought to be able to get a lower berth.

Everything has a martial bearing these days. Even in our best regulated stores they are having counter attacks.

# Artisans to Commemorate Oregon Dead in Great War

In commemoration of the death of Oregon soldiers and sailors, of which 140 have already given their lives in the present war, special services will be held with representations from all patriotic orders, tonight at the Odd Fellows hall under the auspices of the Artisan lodge.

Of the 140 Oregon men who have lost their lives, ten have come from Salem and vicinity. They are Paul Rich, who is buried in France, Ivan Bellinger, William M. Catton, Ray Mark, Edward Gittens, Clarence S. Minker, Benjamin McClelland, Geo. L. Rardin, Curtis W. Wilson and Earl William Molencop, who was lost on the naval collier Cyclops.

Governor Withycombe has been given a list of the names of the other Oregon men and it will be read by Rev. Robert S. Gill at this evening's assembly. Frank Davey will give an address and a musical program will be given. The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. George Terwilliger and it will be open to the public.

# TWO BIG TIMBER SALES ARE MADE

### Wood on National Forests Purchased by Two Mill Companies

PORTLAND, May 27.—Two sales aggregating fifteen million board feet of government timber have been made recently by District Forester Geo. H. Cecil of Portland. The sale of eleven million feet of western yellow pine at \$2.35 per M and a million three hundred thousand feet of Douglas fir and other species at 50 cents per thousand was made to the Wasco Pine Lumber company of the Dalles, Or. The timber stands on the Tamara Creek drainage basin, Oregon National Forest. It probably will be milled at the company's mill on the tract.

The second sale, consisting of two million board feet of living and dead Douglas fir and nine hundred thousand feet of live and dead western red cedar and other species, on the north fork of the Nooksack river, Washington National Forest was awarded to Chester McKenzie of Glacier, Wash., at \$2.30 per E board feet for all species.

Three tracts of timber aggregating four million feet of yellow pine and four hundred thousand feet of Douglas fir, western larch and other species, are now being advertised by the district forester. The timber is in the Blue mountains in the Whitman National Forest, Oregon. One suitable for shingle bolts are being offered for sale on the north fork of the Nooksack river, Washington National Forest.

Mature national forest timber is for sale on all the forests of this district and timber purchased from the government is now being logged on many of the forests. The minimum price for the stumpage is fixed after a careful appraisal by men especially trained for such work. Forestry officials say that wartime uses are responsible for an increased demand for national forest stumpage.

# BAYOU BECOMES PART OF RHINE

### Engineers at Camp Lewis Get First Experience in Laying Pontoon Bridges

CAMP LEWIS, TACOMA, Wash., May 29.—A bayou of American lake, in an unfrequented part of the cantonment not far from Greene park, today became for the time being a sector of the river Rhine. Across the river were the German trenches. It was necessary for an American force to cross the river and therein lies one of the reasons for the existence of the 316th engineers as a part of the 81st division.

It was the first experience of the engineers in laying a pontoon bridge and though a battery of machine guns and regiment of infantry on the further side would have seriously interfered had they been present, the engineers made a very creditable showing for their first practice at pontoon bridge building.

The boats were carried to the bayou yesterday and today on wagons at a signal rowed to what would have been upstream and anchored. The planks and beams were carried out and within a short space of time there was a bridge upon which a whole regiment of troops might cross for the attack.

The Associated Press correspondent was permitted to witness the engineers' efforts. Each man responded promptly when called to his special assignment. The boats drew up before the embankment, beams were placed and the boats shoved off, the bridge being completed by units in a manner quite remarkable to a civilian.

Crews were selected from various companies of the regiment and then the bridge was torn down and another group of soldiers took their turn on the water. Rowing a flat bottom scow was a new experience for many of the men who came from some of the inland states where the biggest stream of water is an irrigation ditch. The men took a real delight in guiding the boats about, handling of the craft being a necessary part of their training before going overseas.

Every organization in the regiment will be given pontoon training, first on the quiet waters of the bayou and later on a swift moving stream, which will put to a test their knowledge of this necessary part of military duties.

While the engineers were bridging the bayou, about 500 men from another regiment at camp left duty for the afternoon were having their first big swim of the season. The water has been too cold for a plunge until within the last few days. Civilians are barred from this part of the cantonment and the natural bathing beach proved popular with the men at camp last fall.

Tomorrow will be a general holiday at camp, only necessary duties being performed, while the cantonment observes Memorial day. There will be no holiday, however, for the naturalization board which is preparing alien soldiers for the final citizenship papers which will be issued Saturday when the federal court is moved to the library of the depot brigade for the day. Approximately 600 men had gone through the preliminary examination today and it was expected 1200 would be ready to take the oath of allegiance Saturday.

The hotel men from California, Oregon and Washington in convention at Seattle, came to camp this afternoon and were escorted over the cantonment, visited friends from their home states and got a view of the soldiers at the real earnest work of training, for which the weather now is most favorable.

There was some relief today for the overworked personnel of the receiving station with incoming draft arrivals slightly over 1100 as compared with 4729 men yesterday, the biggest day in months. Tomorrow and Friday are expected to finish up the May contingent.

The physicians of the mustering office where the men are given their final examinations preliminary to acceptance in the army, are setting new records for handling men, an average of 1200 men being passed each day.

# CROPS STILL IN NEED OF RAINS

### Grain Doing Well in Portions of State Where Light Showers Fell Last Week

PORTLAND, May 27.—Light to moderately heavy showers fell in all districts, except in the extreme north-eastern and central eastern counties during the past week, according to weekly summary of crop and weather conditions in Oregon, issued by the weather bureau. In portions where rain did not fall it is still needed. Complaints of cold nights and cloudy days still continue from all portions of the state and further delayed the advance of vegetation which in some scattered localities is not up to the average for the season, the report states.

Fall grains continue to maintain a generally excellent condition and were much benefited by the rains of the past week; barley is headed in Umatilla and Wasco counties, rye needs warm rain in Lake county and aphid is causing considerable damage to winter wheat and oats as well as vetch, in the Willamette valley. Of the spring grains oats and spring wheat which are up were doing well, although badly infested with aphid in Lane county and need warmth and sunshine for best results.

Meadows, pastures and ranges experienced another week of growth in some localities. The first cutting of alfalfa is reported in Jackson



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county but the crop is very short. Ranges on low lands show some improvement over the previous week but hill pastures are in need of rain to furnish sufficient feed for stock.

Lambing and kidding are about half done in Lake county and well along in other sections with fine increases reported. Sheep shearing shows a good average wool clip.

Pears and cherries appear to be dropping heavily in Linn county but apples are setting well. On high lands of eastern Oregon apples are now in full bloom with prospects of a heavy crop. Some frost injury is indicated but in limited locations only.

Cold cloudy weather has been unfavorable for corn and that which is above ground is in only fair condition and needs warmth and sunshine. Planting is progressing in nearly all sections of the state with a largely increased acreage in some localities. Early potatoes are also making slow growth and with beans and other truck crops are being held back by the unfavorable weather.

**HEAVYWEIGHT RELEASED.**  
 NEW YORK, May 29.—Wladek Zbyszko, who claims the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, was released today from Ellis Island where he had been held since Friday by government officials. No statement was made as to the reason for his detention.

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