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Eastern Oregon Weather
Cloudy tonight; warmer Thursday; threatening.

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GERMAN AT HOME

Peter Organize a Push to Welcome

BRATE HIS SESSION FOR A WEEK.

of Russia and Austria the New King, Who Left Few Years Ago a Dislike—Takes the Oath of Fidelity Before the Skupt

June 24.—Peter George Semlin on the morning and was members of the cabinet and high government officials and presidents of clubs and most of the clubs in Belgrade.

ment officials, after going to the old Eastern custom of the king bread and salt, Belgrade amid wild enthusiasm played with a corps in advance.

in festive attire. A crowd filled the streets and the station was a confusion. All along the route previously stationed.

Russia and Austria. Foreign representative to the Russian ambassador was presented by the ambassador. He then presented a colleague.

tion will last throughout the session tonight. Peter of office before the tomorrow.

marked difference in his last departure when he went secretly, a disgraced exile.

to Recognize Peter. Turkish, English and others left the capital of Peter. The German representatives remain in the city, but in seclusion, actions.

HOBNOBBING. Germans Have Organized Admiralty Society.

21.—Prince Henry this morning Ambassador Cotton, his captains and officers from the ship now here, at lunch.

Princess Pless was greeted by the prince and stated that she was gratified that American visitors would be the Kaiser's pleasure.

morning the prince and exchanged visits on the flagships. The Kaiser's prince with 21 Germans greeted the salute of 17 guns.

at La Grande. A young man of John Williams yesterday while trying to check in a local bank once placed in jail was such a bungling that no possible escape. He worked for a day and came to the morning to take a case in Iowa.

Will Celebrate. June 24.—It was arranged at a meeting of the day evening to celebrate July as arranged. The usual games and picnic will be enjoyed. A total of \$1000 was sent to Heppner so

LETTER FROM ROOSEVELT.

Governor Chamberlain Receives an Expression From President.

Salem, June 24.—Governor Chamberlain yesterday received the following brief letter from Secretary Loeb in behalf of President Roosevelt: "The president wishes me to thank you cordially for the courtesies which you were good enough to extend to him during his recent visit to your state. He greatly enjoyed his trip through Oregon and it was a pleasure to have you with him."

DEGREES FROM YALE.

Six Hundred and Sixty-Seven Students Honored.

New Haven, June 24.—Yale today bestowed degrees upon 667 graduates and special students. The exercises were held in the New Woolsey auditorium. Among the honorary degrees conferred was that of M. A. upon Herbert Bowen, recent minister to Venezuela; D. D. to Rev. Lyman Abbott, formerly pastor of Plymouth church, and L. L. D. upon Judge Gray, recent chairman of the anthracite commission.

Hot Time in Somaliland.

London, June 24.—An official dispatch today states that General Manning, commanding the British in Somaliland, who was recently reported surrounded by the Mad Mullah's followers extricated himself and arrived at Damot Monday. His casualties were 1,000 missing.

For the St. Louis Exposition.

Rome, June 24.—The vatican has been requested to loan the St. Louis Exposition all the documents and maps in its possession pertaining to the discovery of America.

BANK ROBBERY NEAR CHICAGO

Chicago, June 24.—Two robbers dynamited the safe of the Town bank at Gary, a suburb of Chicago early this morning and escaped with \$5,000. A terrific explosion of dynamite shattered the windows in houses for blocks around, and aroused the citizens.

The mayor rang the town bell. Volunteer posses organized and are still searching. Several hundred are now scouring the surrounding country. The police here are guarding all means of ingress to the city.

SEVERAL POSSES HUNTING FOR NERVY PERPETRATORS.

Police Watching All the Means of Ingress into the City to Overhaul the Burglars.

WOMEN IN CONVENTION.

State Federation Now in Session in Astoria.

The State Federation of Women's Clubs is now in session at Astoria. The number of delegates entitled to seats in the convention is 89, only about two-thirds of this number are present, however.

There are 35 clubs in the state representing 24 towns and cities. The delegates elected from Pendleton clubs are as follows: From the Woman's Club, Mrs. L. Moorhouse, Mrs. T. G. Halley and Mrs. M. Dissaway; Current Literature Club, Mrs. W. J. Furnish and Mrs. Theresa Starkweather; Thursday Afternoon Club, Mrs. H. C. Guernsey and Mrs. James A. Fee.

Those attending the meeting from Pendleton are Mrs. C. E. Wade, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Lee Moorhouse and Mrs. Sturgle.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Quotations Furnished by Coe Commission Company—R. L. Boulter, Local Manager, 120 Court Street.

Minneapolis, June 22.—Wheat—Cash—

Minneapolis, June 24.—Wheat—There is no rain in the Northwest. The shorts this morning were received with a unanimous desire to cover and rapidly bid the market up a cent in short order. Receipts show a sharp falling off from last year which was also an element of strength. Until we get good soaking rains over the entire Northwest we see nothing to sell wheat on and unless this relief comes very shortly we think we will see 90 cents for July wheat.

	Opening.	Close.
July	78 1/2	79 1/2
Sept	75 1/2	77 1/2
Corn—		
July	50	51 1/4
Oats—		
July	40 1/2	41 1/2
Minneapolis, June 24.—		
July	83 1/2	84 1/2
Sept	74 1/2	75 1/2

NEGRO OUTRAGES IN THREE STATES

One Perpetrator Taken From Officers and Burned at the Stake in Delaware.

WHOLESALE LYNCHING MAY TAKE PLACE NEAR ST. LOUIS.

In Tennessee a Negro Has Been Lynched, But the Details Are Not Obtainable—The Most Sinister Phase of the Race Problem Comes to the Front to Be Solved.

Elk Valley, Tenn., June 24.—A negro who criminally assaulted Miss Margaret Bruce, aged 16, was captured by a mob at daylight while hiding near here in a hemp field. He confessed and was taken into the woods and lynched. Details of the affair are not to be had at this juncture, as those known to be implicated will not talk but it is suspected the victim was tortured and burned. The girl was beautiful and belonged to one of the most prominent families in the state. Her condition is critical.

Two Assaults Near St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 24.—Florence Bruno, white, who was assaulted by a negro yesterday, died this morning. Annie Green, colored, was assaulted a mile from the Bruno residence, presumably by the same assailant. She is in a precarious condition.

Six suspects are under arrest, and there is great excitement, with prospects good for a wholesale lynching. Only the positive identification of one or more of the negroes is needed to start a movement that will overwhelm all attempts at restraint. This vicinity has heretofore been singularly free from affairs of this kind.

Burned at the Stake in Delaware.

Wilmington, Del., June 24.—Because he assaulted and killed a 17-year-old school girl of Wilmington, a negro was burned at the stake last night by a mob of 1,000 determined men led by an unknown Virginian. The murderer was heavily guarded in the workhouse, but the resistance of the officers availed nothing, and after four members of the mob had been shot, the place was broken into and the negro was taken to the scene of the crime. He attacked the girl while she was coming home from school, and as soon as she was found, in a dying condition, a man hurt was instituted which resulted in the capture of the fiend.

Railroad Wreck in Kansas.

Cherryville, Kan., June 24.—In a wreck of a passenger train on the Frisco line near here this morning, one was killed and several were injured. The engine was derailed.

WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO PUNISH

Washington, June 24.—President Roosevelt's letter to Attorney General Knox instructing the retention of special attorneys to assist in the postal prosecutions, was made public this morning.

After reviewing in brief the status of the investigations to date it says it is probable other indictments will be hereafter asked for. He continues that there can be no greater offense against government than a breach of trust on the part of a public official, or dishonest management of his office. Every effort must be made to bring such an offender to punishment by the utmost rigor of the law. The district attorney's office of the District of Columbia has faithfully, zealously seconded the efforts of the post office department in the entire matter, but the amount of work in that office is such as to make difficult, without neglecting other important public duties, to devote all the time necessary for a thorough prosecution of these cases.

He suggests, therefore, if you can not detail some of your present staff that you appoint special assistants, not only to take up cases in which indictments are or hereafter may be found out, but to examine into all charges that have been made against

THE WEARISOME WORK GOES ON

Hope of Finding More Bodies Gives Strength to the Crowd of Rescuers.

EXPENSE AT HEPPNER IS NOW \$1,620 PER DAY

Many Farmers Must Leave Soon to Harvest Crops—Sherman County Donates \$1,000—Pendleton Chinese Add \$64 to the List—Tedious and Excessive Task.

Heppner, June 24.—The details of the work here are losing all their novelty and the workmen are weary of the sight of the huge piles of rubbish and wreckage.

The only real incentive that urges them to work willingly at the monotonous task is the hope of finding a body hidden under the splinters and kindling wood that were once homes of happy families.

The men have baked the great mass of clay and mud that were piled up with the wreckage, until it is now like cement. The task of tearing down these great heaps is very slow. The workmen must take hold of each little stick and pull it away from the pile separately. Shovels nor pitchforks can not be used and there are no large pieces of houses to be found.

Naturally it would be expected that entire gable ends and side walls of some of the houses would be found in the wreckage, but such is not the case.

So great was the force and velocity of the storm and flood that everything is crushed into kindling wood. The sanitary conditions are improving every day. There is no sickness and the excellent discipline of the crews of laborers and the citizens is most remarkable.

Expenses \$1,600 Per Day.

The total expenses of the relief committee is \$1,620 per day and this amount will be increased as the workmen who are donating free labor leave. The hay crops of Morrow county are now ready to be harvested and the wheat crop is ripening very fast, and many of the willing farmers who have been working incessantly with their teams will be compelled to go home to care for their crops in order to be able to feed those whose crops and homes are gone.

The scenes at the morgue are not so thrilling as at first. Most of the relatives of the missing are out with the crows searching the drift and the first outburst of grief is seen when the bruised and disfigured corpse is taken from its temporary tomb in the piles of drift and wreckage.

Sherman County Gives \$1,000.

The county court of Sherman met

at Moro Tuesday and contributed \$1,000 to the Heppner relief fund. The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs also sent \$150 and the Moro Foresters \$50.

Estimated Losses at Heppner. The most conservative estimate of property losses by the Heppner disaster is as follows: Loss to individuals, \$380,000; to the city of Heppner, \$50,000, and to the valley below, \$165,000, making a total of \$595,000. Many of the farms in the bottom are ruined.

On a subscription paper circulated in Chinatown, \$64 were donated to the Heppner relief fund by 77 Chinamen of this city. There were seven Chinamen lost in the flood, a prominent Chinaman there paying \$200 reward for the recovery of the lost body. The reward money was immediately paid into the relief fund.

CHINESE DONATE.

J. H. Gwinn left yesterday for Heppner, to act as one of a general committee to distribute the funds raised by the Knights of Pythias relief assessment. The other members of the committee are Judge W. L. Bradshaw, of The Dalles, and L. R. Stinson, of Salem. The committee will meet at The Dalles today and after organization and the adoption of a systematic plan, will go at once to Heppner to begin their work.

QUARRELING OVER KISHINEFF

Division in the Russian Cabinet About the Jews.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Attempts to Resign—Sensational Developments Are Expected at St. Petersburg.

London, June 24.—A letter received by one in high authority from St. Petersburg, tells of a conflict between the czar and certain high dignitaries. The Russian minister of foreign affairs last week resigned because the czar scathingly commented on Kishineff. The czar refused to accept the resignation and insisted the minister should keep his ministerial colleagues under better control.

The minister replied he was unable to do this owing to intrigue not only in the government, but in the palace itself. He suggested that the czar dismiss two members of his cabinet. Sensational developments are expected.

WONDERS REORGANIZED.

Will Play an Indian Team Sunday at the Alta Street Grounds.

Now that the league is out of commission the younger members of the fraternity will endeavor to give the people of the city a chance to see good baseball, and with that idea in view the boys of the city have been organizing a team and now have it in good condition to play ball. It will be the Wonders of last year over again, most of the players on the old team having signified their willingness to play again this year. It will be remembered that that team put up some good ball last season and the boys are better able to play this year.

The first game will be played on the Alta street grounds Sunday afternoon, when they will meet a team from the reservation. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

LOST VALUABLE COW.

One of Dave Ingram's Best Milkers Mysteriously Disappears.

Last Sunday night Dave Ingram milked his four cows as usual, shut up the gates and left them in the lot, as is the custom. On Monday morning one of the best cows had disappeared. The gates were all shut and the fences up just as he had left them the evening before, but the cow was gone and two days' hard riding has failed to locate her. He has searched creeks, lanes, pastures and hills in vain and has given up the hunt, disgusted. He says that no question will be asked if the cow is returned to the lot as mysteriously as she disappeared.

To State Encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Renn have gone to Portland, where they will attend the meeting of the Grand Army. Mr. Renn is one of the delegates from the Kit Carson Post of this city, and Mrs. Renn is one of the delegates of the Relief Corps.

PORTLAND THE FIRST OUTLET

Railroad Projected Northward From the Redwood Regions of California.

MORE PRACTICAL ROUTE THAN INTO SAN FRANCISCO.

New Road is Expected to Develop a Deep Water Harbor at Chetco, Curry County, Where \$1,250,000 Will Make a First-Class Harbor—A Scheme of Great Commercial Importance.

Grant's Pass, Ore., June 24.—According to the recent statement of Colonel T. Wain-Morgan Draper, the rich redwood and other resourceful region of Humboldt county, California, will be first reached from the Oregon side, and the riches of that region turned first toward Portland, instead of San Francisco.

"The road from the north will be the first to reach Eureka, on Humboldt bay," Colonel Draper said recently, when speaking of the proposed Oregon & Pacific line, of which he is the chief engineer. "A great many people think it is a difficult engineering feat to build a railroad from Crescent City to Eureka, but there are not half so many obstacles to overcome as between Eureka and San Francisco. Surveys have been made from Grant's Pass to Crescent City, and preliminary are being made between Crescent City and Coos Bay, and between Crescent City and Eureka. The route between Crescent City and Eureka will be a most difficult piece of work, the greatest grade being between the head of Mill creek, a tributary of Smith river, and the head of Hunter and Wilson creeks.

New Deep Water Harbor.

"We are also surveying a route to Chetco, Curry county, Oregon," Colonel Draper continued, "and investigating the feasibility of that place as a harbor. There is plenty of deep water there. Crescent City has also received my attention. Government estimates for this place show that it will cost \$250,000 to blast out the rocks in the harbor, and \$1,000,000 to build jetties, but I am confident the work can be done for less money than that. Fifty miles of the survey from Grant's Pass to Crescent City have been definitely decided upon, and some construction work will be done this summer, though not very much."

Colonel Draper admitted that the Oregon & Pacific is a connecting link in a new coast route, backed by some of the big lines, but he refused to divulge just what company is behind it.

Two Men Killed in Card Game.

West Liberty, Ky., June 24.—Dave Purcell, who killed Mack Nickel and Gordon Wells in a dispute over a game of cards near Caney, this morning, has escaped. Officers are pursuing.

DAYTON TOURNAMENT.

Will Be One Hundred and Fifty Participants, Five From Pendleton.

The 19th annual tournament of the Sportsmen's Association of the Northwest, will meet at Dayton, Wash., tomorrow, for a three days' shoot. It is expected that there will be at least 150 men in attendance, and some of the best shooting that takes place in the country will be shown there during the meet.

There will be \$2,000 in trophy money offered at the meet, and in addition to this the Dayton Rod and Gun Club, under whose auspices the meet is held, will offer \$1,200 in added money. Some of the best marksmen on the coast will be there to compete and the man that wins a trophy will have to shoot pretty straight.

Pendleton sent a delegation of five men this morning who will attempt to bring home some of the honors of the tournament. Those leaving for there this morning were Messrs. H. J. Stillman, Sam Thompson, J. M. Spence, F. W. Waite and John Soule, of Pendleton; Doc Plummer and the two Eastman boys, of Boise City; William Seaver, of the Winchester Arms Company, of San Francisco; A. P. Bligow and G. L. Hecker, of Ogden, and T. N. Murphy, of La Grande.