

The East Oregonian has the largest paid circulation of any paper in Oregon, east of Portland, and over twice the circulation in Pendleton of any other newspaper.



Forecast for Eastern Oregon by the United States Weather Observer at Portland.

Fair tonight, Saturday fair and warmer.

WANTS NATION TO HAVE MONOPOLY OF MUNITION MAKING

Congressman Tavenner Says Billions Spent Yet Nation Unprepared For Warfare.

GOVERNMENT WORK THE CURE

Chaos Among Ammunition Makers at This Time Urged as Argument for Government Operation of Factories—No Supplies Would be Shipped Abroad.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—A government monopoly of the manufacture of munitions is advocated by Congressman Clyde Tavenner of Illinois. He declares that despite the fact a quarter of a billion dollars is being spent annually upon the army and navy the country is not prepared for war.

AUTO TOURISTS PASSING THROUGH PENDLETON DAILY

As predicted a year ago, the Panama-Pacific exposition is adding materially to the number of transient visitors in Pendleton this summer. It doesn't need the figures of local gas stations to prove that there are many more auto parties passing through the city this year than last.

The number of auto tourists is steadily increasing as the summer lengthens. Some estimates have it that an average of 15 cars a day pass through Pendleton en route to San Francisco, whereas last year there were only about six strange cars a day through the city.

WANT TO RECALL DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF WHEELER CO.

SALEM, Ore., July 23.—Allegations that he is "corrupt and incompetent" are contained in a petition for a recall of District Attorney Joseph Starr of Wheeler county, filed with the secretary of state.

Suggestion Made That City Secure Statue of "Buckaroo"

The Portland Journal last evening carried half tone illustrations of the "Buckaroo," by A. Phimister Proctor and a story in which it was suggested that a large statue of the subject be erected in Pendleton. The story was by Rex Lammiman of the Journal.

The Pendleton Round-up, action-epic of the old west, is to endure in bronze. The spirit of a day that is passing, of a life that is fast slipping into the realm of legend, has been caught and crystallized by the sculptor.

Proctor the Sculptor. A. Phimister Proctor, New York sculptor of international fame, is the sculptor. He arrived in Portland yesterday from Pendleton, bringing the statue, done in plaster, 36 inches high.

RUSSIANS THINK WARSAW CAN HOLD AGAINST THE GERMANS; BERLIN SAYS FALL IMMINENT

Fighting South of Lublin Results Favorably to Czar—Enemy Suffered Heavily

Great Battle Likely to Occur

Day of Prayer for Success Throughout Russia Yesterday—Report That Russian Main Army May Occupy City Not Accepted—Heavy Guns Drawing Closer.

PETROGRAD, July 23.—The great battle for possession of Warsaw has entered a decisive stage. South of the Vistula the Russians have withdrawn to strongly fortified positions extending from Novo Georgievsk to Ivangorod, fifty miles to the southwest.

Prayers for a victory in the conflict were said throughout Russia yesterday. Despite their heavy bombardment the Germans are unable to penetrate the outer defenses to the west of Warsaw near Blonie. For two days shells have poured against the redoubts perfected by the Slavs during the winter.

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NEWS SUMMARY

General. Russians think they may hold Warsaw; German's don't. American note now in hands of German officials. Plot discovered to blow up auto plants at Cleveland. Congressman wants United States to own munition plants.

Local. Move suggested by Portland to purchase Proctor's "Buckaroo" for Pendleton. Swimming pool to be dedicated to night with fine aquatic program. Farmer contracts wheat for 83 cents; local market quiet. Former local man sued for \$18,000.

Program of Aquatic Sports For Natatorium Dedication

A fine program of aquatic sports has been prepared for the dedication of the new natatorium at Round-up Park this evening and the Pendleton public is invited to be present. The feature of the program will be the exhibition of swimming and diving by Jimmie Fulton, clever Portland amateur.

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BAYONNE ASKS FOR MORE POLICE TO QUELL STRIKERS

BAYONNE, July 23.—Rumors of dynamite plots kept the police alert but up to a late hour there was no renewal of the bloody fighting which marked the Standard Oil employees' strike yesterday.

PRESIDENT WILL RETURN TO SUMMER WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The president will probably return to Cornish in a day or two to resume his vacation at the White House announced. He will remain there a week or ten days.

DIE IS CAST AS FAR AS AMERICA IS CONCERNED

Note to Germany Delivered to Foreign Officials in Berlin This Morning.

AMERICAN POSITION CLEAR

Confidential Information Is Expected From Gerard Showing Manner in Which Note Is Received—Warning About Repetition Is Point of Chief Interest.

BERLIN, July 23.—The new American note was handed to Foreign Minister Von Jagow at 1:15 this afternoon. The note arrived at the American embassy, having been delayed from Copenhagen, earlier in the day and was immediately decoded and prepared for submission to the foreign minister.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The delivery to Foreign Minister Von Jagow of the new American note as to submarine warfare will cast the die so far as this country's relations with Germany are concerned.

SHOT SEATTLE MAN WHO REFUSED TO MARRY HER

SEATTLE, July 23.—Alvie Lillian, aged 29, a domestic, shot and killed Howard Borders, aged 29, a teamster, in her room at the Byron hotel at noon.

WOMAN ASSERTS SHE SHOT TO SCARE MAN BUT BULLET HIT HIS HEAD

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BANDIT HAD PLANNED TO KIDNAP MORMON HEAD

PIOT UNHEARDED TO STEAL JOSEPH SMITH AND HOLD HIM FOR \$100,000.

DISCOVER PLOT TO DESTROY PLANT AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

CLEVELAND, July 23.—Local federal officials upon orders from Washington have notified the Peerless and White Automobile Companies, the American Steel Wire Company of an alleged plot to dynamite their plants.

Plot to Kidnap Mormon Chief is Admitted by Man

DENVER, July 23.—J. W. Melrose, assistant to Roy Sampson, of the department of justice denied he said the highwayman who planned to kidnap Joseph Smith, head of the Mormon church, intended to hold him for a hundred thousand ransom.

Wheat—30 cent firm; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 1 1/2 5d; No. 2 hard winter, 1 1/8 5d; No. 1 Manitoba, 1 1/8 19d; No. 2 Manitoba, 1 1/8 8d.