

The East Oregonian has the largest bona fide and guaranteed circulation of any paper in Oregon...



YESTERDAY'S WEATHER DATA. Maximum temperature, 58; minimum, 36; wind, west; gentle; weather clear.

FIGHTING FLEET OF SUBMARINES TO GIVE BATTLE

Armed Divers Reported to be Accompanying the Bremen to America to Break Allied Patrol.

DEUTSCHLAND STILL IN PORT

Engagement May Take Place Outside Three-Mile Limit As Soon As German U-Boats Arrive; German Authorities Refuse to Comment on the Reports.

BAITMORE, July 22.—The Deutschland representatives filed clearance papers with Customs Collector Ryan this afternoon who stated that clearance had not yet been granted.

BAITMORE, July 22.—The Deutschland remained docked this morning. It was reported to be awaiting the Bremen's arrival. The Bremen is due on Monday. It was rumored that a fleet of fighting submarines is escorting the diver. It may meet the Deutschland outside the Virginia Capes to help run the blockade. There was a terrific thunderstorm last night. Newspapers in launches dimly saw the gray-green hull of the Deutschland amid the lightning flashes. A mysterious steamer nearby flashed unintelligible signals.

A naval battle at America's very doors may result if the German submarine escort clashes with the allied patrol. A naval expert assured the United Press that at least two armed submarines are escorting the Bremen. The Germans may plan to torpedo the blockaders as soon as they are outside the three mile limit. Captain Hines, a member of the Ocean Rbeder, was reticent concerning the reports. He refused to confirm or deny them. The Deutschland is ready for an outward dash at any time. Allied ships flanking the seaward route are causing promoters considerable worry.

BLACKLISTED FIRMS TO BACK UP PROTEST

COMPANIES WILL SUPPLY WASHINGTON WITH DATA CONCERNING METHOD.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Representatives of blacklisted firms are preparing to give Wilson inside information of how the British intend to conduct their boycott. It was indicated at the state department that the white house will be glad to get the information. Officials want to know exactly what illegal acts American firms have committed. The administration plans no further action until Ambassador Page reports. It was reported that the British might refuse to blacklisted firms and ships. In this event, the American coal station at Guantanamo, Cuba, might supply the vessels.

OLD FIRST REGIMENT VETERANS ORGANIZED

PORTLAND, Ore., July 22.—Permanent organization of the veterans of the old first regiment, Oregon National Guard, was accomplished this week at a gathering of members of the regiment who served under the organization of 1887. General Charles E. Beebe was elected president, Charles E. Morgan first vice president, Judge C. P. Gatenbein second vice president, C. C. Murton secretary, H. A. Moser treasurer, Dr. C. A. Macrum surgeon. The organization is strictly civic in character, but General Beebe said today that a semi-military feature may be added later. The old first went out of existence in 1898 when the various military bodies were consolidated into the Second Oregon volunteers. At the reorganization of the guard, after the Spanish-American war, the Third regiment was formed. Companies B, C, H, I and K of the old first were reconstituted, however, in the veterans' association, and others are expected to join later.

Will Elect Democrats.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Chairman McCormick of the democratic campaign committee came here to develop a plan to elect democratic congressmen. He conferred with Wilson and members of the senate and house. He leaves for New York this evening. He said: "I am merely completing organization plans." He denied he was summoned here to straighten out the alleged row over the naming of a democratic campaign committee.

Plot is on Foot to Discredit the U.S. Militia Plan

EFFORTS BEING MADE TO PROVE THAT PRESENT SYSTEM IS BIG FAILURE.

(By William Shephard.) SAN ANTONIO, July 22.—A deliberate and well-defined plan exists to prove that the militia scheme is a failure. Americans may expect a future newspaper campaign against the militia system. The American mind may be slowly poisoned against the entire federalized militia plan. All huge federal army supporters find hundreds of faults with the militia. Encamped here, newspaper correspondents carefully watch every story before publishing it. Regular army officers favor general conscription. They dislike the militia system. They wear citizen's clothes whenever possible to avoid being mistaken for a militiaman. The militia is not perfect but it is not so bad as the public may be led to believe.

Infantile Cases Are on Increase in New York City

PHYSICIANS ARE ASTOUNDED AS THEY BELIEVED PLAGUE WAS OVER.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Infantile paralysis again increased today. Physicians are astounded. They believed the plague had been conquered. Official reports showed 39 deaths in 24 hours, the heaviest since the paralysis outbreak. A hundred and thirty-five new cases were reported today. New Jersey and Connecticut cities are refusing to admit hundreds of New Yorkers attempting to reach their summer homes.

TWO ARE FINED FOR VIOLATING DRY LAW

PORTLAND, Ore., July 22.—Everett R. Parsley and Lester Newman, principals in the raid by the police Wednesday afternoon on soft drink places at 22 North Tenth street and 44 North Sixth street, pleaded guilty to charges of violating the prohibition law in the municipal court today. Parsley was fined \$100 because it was his second offense. Newman was fined \$50.

Parsley was in charge of the resort on Tenth street, and had only been there three days. Newman, who is a structural iron worker by trade, had charge of the Tunnel on Sixth street. Both men said that Ralph Dellinger, owner of the places, had promised to pay their fines if they were arrested. Dellinger is now in San Francisco. A warrant charging him with violating the law has been issued.

Greatest Scientist in World Dead



Professor Elie Metchnikoff, director of the Pasteur Institute in Paris, is dead at seventy-one. All his family had died young and it was his own belief that he would not live much beyond fifty-four. It was then, however, he began the investigation of longevity, which resulted in his discovery of the cause of long life among the Bulgarian mountaineers. By following his own method he prolonged his own life beyond that of his ancestors. For many years now he has been considered the foremost scientist of the world, with the possible exception of one or two British physicists.

RUSSIANS CROSS RIVERS IN FACE OF ENEMY FIRE

Slav Forces are Progressing Steadily Toward the Galician Border According to Petrograd Report.

BERLIN DENIES RUSS GAINS

Trenches in the Riga District are Taken by Kurapatkin; Whole Austrian Units Are Reported to be Surrounding; Berlin Says Russian Attacks Growing Weaker.

PETROGRAD, July 22.—Dispatches said that General Brusiloff is progressing steadily toward the Galician border southward of Lutsk. He has crossed the swollen Lapa and Styr rivers despite the enemy fire. Whole Austrian units are surrendering. Cavalry is approaching Brody from Verbon. Riga dispatches declared that Kurapatkin has crossed three of Hindenburg's trench lines near Riga. The first big batch of German prisoners has arrived at Riga.

BERLIN, July 22.—It was announced that the Russian attacks were growing feebler. Attempts to cross the Dvina from both sides of Friederichstadt have failed. North of Dvina a small detachment crossed the river. Northeast of Smorzen a small force of German field guards retreated before superior forces. Hindenburg reported that Russian attack southeast of Riga were defeated. Linsingen reported that the Russians captured salient positions at Werben in an unexpected encircling attack. Submarines sank six British trawlers off the east coast on July 17. The authorities ordered the release of the British steamer Adam. An investigation showed that a German torpedo boat captured the vessel within Swedish waters. The Swedish dispatch said that a Russian submarine in Botlan Bay, Swedish waters, fired torpedoes at the German steamer Elbe. The Hague reported that the British confiscated the first class mail steamer Ryndyant enroute from the Dutch West Indies to Rotterdam.

Wheat Jumps Three Cents in Chicago

CHICAGO, July 22.—(Special to the East Oregonian)—Range of prices today: Open High Close July 11.15 11.17 11.17 1/2 Sept. 11.17 11.19 11.19

WOMAN STARTS CAMPAIGN.

Candidate for Joint Representative Visits Hood River. HOOD RIVER, Ore., July 22.—Mrs. Alexander Thompson, of The Dalles, the first woman candidate seeking a district office in Hood River and Wasco counties, was here in the interest of her campaign for the joint representation from the two counties in the state legislature. Mrs. Thompson, who is prominent in woman's club activities, was the choice of the democrats of the two counties at the May primaries.

Wilson Sends Appeal.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Wilson signed a personal letter to the rulers of Britain, France, Russia, Germany and Austria, urging a quick solution of the Polish relief problem.

About 700,000,000 feet of timber was cut on the national forests in 1915.

NEWS SUMMARY

General. Third line trenches are taken by the British. Fighting fleet of submarines said to be on way from Germany to break allied patrol off American coast. Russians are progressing toward Galician border. Infantile cases are increasing again in New York. Local. Bend to send special train to Round-Up. Coroner Brown makes effort to establish identity of boy killed in accident.

First German Prisoners Taken Picardy Drive



GERMAN PRISONERS. In this picture a group of German captives are shown on their way to the rear of the British lines. They are among the first prisoners taken in the famous Picardy drive.

Wheat Jumps Three Cents in Chicago

CHICAGO, July 22.—(Special to the East Oregonian)—Range of prices today: Open High Close July 11.15 11.17 11.17 1/2 Sept. 11.17 11.19 11.19

Trap Set by Postmaster at Silverton Ends in Lad's Arrest.

SILVERTON, Ore., July 22.—Through the diligence of Postmaster John H. Brooks and Assistant Postmaster T. W. Riches, Armond Matheny, 1 year old, who is charged with breaking into the mail boxes at the postoffice here, was arrested. For some time the officials have been annoyed by complaints of patrons that their boxes had been opened and the mail stolen. Several pieces of mail have been found that had been opened and discarded. Mr. Brooks placed a decoy package in one of the boxes Sunday and a short time later saw Matheny open the box and take out the package. He was apprehended immediately by Mr. Brooks. It is intimated that several other young fellows have been tampering with the mail boxes, not realizing the seriousness of their deeds.

MURDERER IS RUSHED AWAY BY SHERIFF TO ESCAPE FROM MOB

EL PASO, July 22.—Sheriff Walton brought Harry Spannell here this afternoon. He is charged with murdering his wife and Lieutenant Colonel Butler at Alpine. Spannell apparently is dazed. He refused to tell why he shot the couple after inviting them to go motoring. ALPINE, Texas, July 22.—The sheriff spirited away Harry J. Spannell who killed his wife and Lieutenant

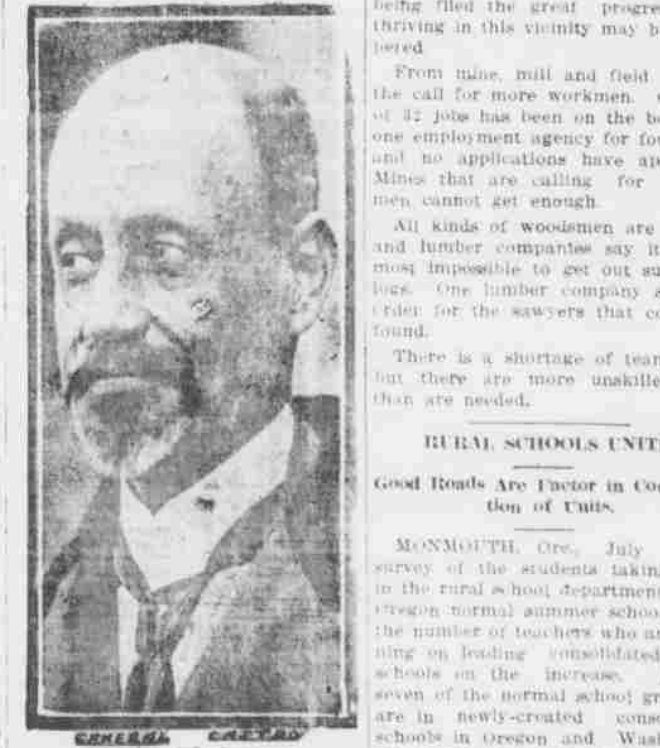
Bend Boosters Will Come to Round-Up in a Special Train

A special train of Bend boosters will be run to Pendleton for the Round-Up, according to word received from W. C. E. Pruitt, who is in the interior in the interest of the 1916 show. Pruitt writes that everyone in that section is a devoted Round-Up booster and that indications are that the largest crowd ever will be in Pendleton September 21, 22 and 23 from the Bend country. The Bend papers have shown an especially friendly attitude toward the Round-Up, and have promised to boost for the show. It is understood that through C. S. Jackson, editor of the Portland Journal, and originator of the well known Journal special trains to the Round-Up, is arranging for a special train from San Francisco, Cal. The California territory is one which has never been tapped very heavily by the Round-Up, but this year many inquiries have come to the Round-Up office from all parts of California and indications point that from around the Bay a large number of people will attend.

MURDERER IS RUSHED AWAY BY SHERIFF TO ESCAPE FROM MOB

EL PASO, July 22.—Sheriff Walton brought Harry Spannell here this afternoon. He is charged with murdering his wife and Lieutenant Colonel Butler at Alpine. Spannell apparently is dazed. He refused to tell why he shot the couple after inviting them to go motoring. ALPINE, Texas, July 22.—The sheriff spirited away Harry J. Spannell who killed his wife and Lieutenant

Ex-Ruler of Venezuela Can't Enter United States



General Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela has again had the experience of being excluded from the United States on the ground of moral turpitude. Ellis Island authorities decided this after he had arrived from the Barbados. As a matter of fact Castro was merely on his way to Porto Rico from Barbados, his only way of reaching there being by way of steamers from New York City.

THIRD LINES OF TEUTON DEFENSE FALL IN ATTACK

British Sweep Over German Positions After Heavy Artillery Fire is Concentrated on Embankments.

STRONG RESISTANCE IS MET

English Troops Find Enemy Entrenched Under Ground With Steel Reinforcements Which Only Biggest Guns Can Affect; French Report Repulse of All Assaults.

LONDON, July 22.—Artillery fire is sweeping both sides of the Flanders battle lines today. There is little infantry fighting. Military experts said that the allies probably are shelling the Germans preparatory to another advance. Others believed that the Germans were endeavoring to locate a weak spot in the allies lines to launch a big counter offensive. The French war office announced a violent bombardment in the Fleury sector. The Germans attacked the French Vosges positions under a heavy curtain of fire but were repulsed.

LONDON, July 22.—Haig reported today that an intense artillery duel is raging on the British front. It has continued for 12 hours. The Germans poured gas shells into the British front lines, and the British drove the Germans from their last natural defenses. The British encountered the strongest opposition on the third line positions. The attackers found the Germans deep under ground beneath steel reinforced shelters. Only the heaviest artillery fire affects such defenses. The German Verdun pressure practically has ceased as many of the troops have been sent to meet the allied offensive. The French in the Peronne sector have the advantage of fighting from heights against the enemy below. The Teutons face a flanking movement there. They may be forced to evacuate Roys, Las-signy, Ham and La Fere.

English Women in Parade Show That They are for War

PARIS, July 22.—The French have repulsed German attacks at Moulins, Soustout, Fumin, Fleury and North Saint Die. It was announced that French ships on Friday dropped 115 heavy shells on Metzscablon in the Vosges, doing great damage. A German aeroplane was destroyed while attempting to pursue the raiders. German aeroplanes shelled Belfort but no damage was done.

MONSTER PROCESSION HELD IN LONDON BY MILITANT SUFFRAGISTS.

(By Hal O'Flaherty.) LONDON, July 22.—A monster procession of women paraded to Whitehall, urging the women to more thoroughly cooperate in the war business. They carried a slogan: "They also serve who stay at home and work."

The parade under the auspices of the Women's social political Union. Crowds enthusiastically cheered the marching militant suffragists. One section wore allied uniforms. Women munition workers marched in overalls. The paraders demanded no compromise with the Teutons. They demanded a more drastic internment of enemy aliens and cancellation of passports. Germans' naturalization papers.

FALL BLAMED TO SENATOR.

Optimists in Berlin Not for "Chinning," Says Company. SENATTLE, July 22.—That the country's loss in stationary machinery was intended for raising and lowering the occupants, or in other words, for "chinning" purposes, is the substance of the reply filed by the Pacific Steamship company in the suit for damages brought against it recently in the best federal court by United States Senator Carroll A. Page, of Vermont. Senator Page alleges that in letting himself out of his berth the rod holding the curtain was so insecurely fastened that it gave way breaking the senator fall to the floor, fracturing bones in both feet and straining ligaments severely.

The United States is the greatest wool consuming country, while Great Britain does the bulk of the wool manufacturing.