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WEATHER Fair tonight with light frost; Tuesday fair and warmer. Maximum temperature, 66; minimum, 49; rainfall, trace; wind, west; gentle; weather, partly cloudy.

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AERO SERVICE OF U. S. WILL BE DEVELOPED

Government Soon to Ask Congress for Five or Six Hundred Million Dollars; Separate Department May be Created.

MANY ARE EXPECTED TO JOIN IMMEDIATELY

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The government soon will ask congress for five or six hundred million dollars to develop the American aeroplane service on a great scale. The sub-committee of the senate naval affairs committee decided to begin hearings tomorrow on the Sheppard-Hulbert bill, creating a separate aeroplane department.

Before a year is past, Congress will be asked to appropriate a billion dollars for aero service, representative Hulbert said. "It is the idea of the council of national defense to establish aviation stations at intervals across the continent where men will be trained and machines prepared. It is impossible for the government to send a large number of troops to Europe for nine months of a year. We can train five thousand aviators in six weeks to two months and have five thousand machines ready by August 1."

Many recruits expected. Because of the novelty of the service, leaders believe thousands of young men will offer their services immediately. It is expected on many sides that aeroplanes will determine the outcome of the war. The late British front dispatches show the aero service made the late allied victories possible.

TURTLE FISHING IS THE GRAND CAYMAN INDUSTRY

Grand Cayman is one of the out-of-the-way islands of the West Indies, a small and isolated outpost of the British empire. It is the island nearest to the Central American coast among those of any size. As a result of this proximity, the leading industry of the island are turtle fishing and coconut shipping, both of which products come from the Mosquito coast of Honduras and Nicaragua.

CAMPAIN COMMITTEES FOR RED CROSS DRIVE PICKED

Fund Seeking Organization in Umatilla County is a Complete One. The marshalling of the forces which will participate in the big Red Cross drive for \$20,000 in Umatilla county during the week beginning June 18 has begun and the fund-seeking organization will be a complete one.

SCHOONER SUNK, CREW IS SAVED

Submarine Bombs and Gunfire Destroy an American Vessel.

LONDON, June 11.—Submarine bombs and gunfire sank the American vessel Magnus Manson, it is formally reported. The crew reached Carø safely.

PENDLETON TO SEND 70 AUTOMOBILES TO FESTIVAL TOMORROW

Big Representation Is Promised at Milton Strawberry Day, Proceeds of Which Go to the Red Cross.

Pendleton will send between 40 and 70 automobiles tomorrow to Milton for the annual Strawberry Festival which this year is being given as a benefit to the Red Cross. The full proceeds above expenses will be turned over to the Red Cross.

Not only will the Pendleton Reserves participate in the Milton festivities but the Honor Guards will also go. Both organizations will wear their uniforms and will march in the parades.

THREE OREGON PEOPLE ARE GRANTED PATENTS

Patents granted to citizens of Oregon, June 5, 1917. Reported through the office of R. G. Parker Jr., solicitor of patents, Washington, D. C.

Henry Adell, Portland, pipe coupling; George W. Armstrong, Salem, garment supporter; Ivy McTimmonds, Mitchell, bed.

C. Baer and H. W. Collins. Each will choose his own team. The Adams team will be captained by G. M. Morrison, the other members being L. L. Llewellyn, John Adams, I. Christopher and Ed Wallan.

The Stanfield team is R. A. Holte, captain, Don Pruitt and T. O. Yates. Hermiston has a large and representative committee led by Thomas Campbell. The other members are H. T. Frazer, Carl McNaught, P. H. Sawyer, Dr. C. O. Wainwright, F. C. Roberts, Henry Sommerer, F. C. McKenzie, H. M. Straw, H. D. Newell, E. L. Jackson, Otto Sapper, P. H. Reeves, E. P. Dode and S. R. Oldaker.

The Helix team consists of Carl Enghart, Carl Rupers, James Hill, W. H. Morrison, Hugh Bell and George Strand.

GENERAL PLAN FOR EXEMPTION BOARD ADOPTED

Will Consist of Sheriff, County Clerk and County Health Officer; Governors of State Asked to Make Suggestions

MEN MUST PASS TWO PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The general plan for local exemption boards to sort out the men for selective service has been practically adopted. The registration board, consisting of the sheriff, county clerk and county health officer, will form the local exemption board. In cities over 20,000 the registration board will become the exemption board. Governors of each state are authorized to submit suggestions for changes in the personnel when the incumbent proves manifestly unsatisfactory.

ARSENAL ROCKED BY EARTHQUAKE

Series of Violent Shocks Hits Terni, Doing Heavy Damage it is Said.

ROME, June 11.—Four violent earthquakes shook Terni, causing a panic. It is reported the damage is considerable. The inhabitants of Terni fled to open fields, where they are now camped, fearing more tremors. Terni has 31,000 population and is the site of a big government arsenal.

ANOTHER SHOOTING AFFRAY IS RUMORED

Reports are current that another guardman was shot at below Pendleton on Thursday night of last week but efforts to verify the reports have been unsuccessful. The guardmen themselves are cautioned against discussing incidents of their service and railroad circles are not any more productive of information.

TEN MORE ARE RESCUED. BUTTE, June 11.—Ten more entombed miners were found alive and rescued on the twenty-two hundred foot level in the Speculator mine. Only 80 men were unaccounted for. The rescuers are working desperately.

HERMISTON MAN SHOOT HIS SON

The elder Kennedy is being held in Hermiston.

(East Oregonian Special) HERMISTON, Ore., June 11.—Robert Kennedy, 21 years old son of William Kennedy and a brother of Jack Kennedy, noted wrestler, was shot and possibly fatally wounded shortly after 11 o'clock this forenoon. The boy was shot by his own father who asserted the shooting was accidental. He is held in custody here and Sheriff Taylor has been notified of the case. Young Kennedy's wound is in the back and was inflicted by a shot from a big shot gun. Owing to the young man's condition no statement has yet been secured from him and the father is reticent about talking. The affair occurred at the Kennedy ranch three miles from Hermiston. Mrs. Kennedy, mother of the boy is prostrated from the shock. Jack Kennedy was in Hermiston at the time.

HOW MUCH WILL YOU GIVE THE RED CROSS?

Do you think that \$20,000 is too much to ask of Umatilla county in the Red Cross drive? It does sound like a whole lot of money, but have you any conception of the tremendous work that confronts the Red Cross? Thousands of Red Cross ambulances must be maintained on the firing line and other thousands must be built and sent. Forty-five base hospitals have already been established and these must be supplemented with other thousands if we are to save our wounded boys. The force of Red Cross physicians and nurses must be greatly increased and kept on duty. Convalescent British, French and Belgian soldiers can be sent home. Convalescent hospitals must be maintained in France for American convalescents. Vocational school for soldiers incapacitated by wounds for ordinary work must be established. All this must be done by the Red Cross and it takes money to do it. The work cannot be delayed. Bullets will not wait on tardy dollars. The man who offers his life must not bear the burden alone. Thirty thousand dollars is little more than a dollar per capita for Umatilla county people. Last year alone Canada raised \$17 per capita for Red Cross work. The province of British Columbia raised \$22 per capita. The city of Montreal subscribed \$2,500,000 in one drive and the city of Quebec \$4,500,000. Don't wait to "let George do it." The drive is your drive.

SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES MADE BEFORE THE SENATE NAVAL COMMITTEE; DANIELS CHARGES SPY AND TRAITOR IS AT WORK

Sweeping Investigation Ordered into the Allegations of Defects in Ordnance and Ammunition Communicated to Freylinghuysen.

DISGRUNTLED EMPLOYEE IS SUSPECTED OF DOCUMENT

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Following sensational disclosures before the senate naval affairs committee, a sweeping investigation was ordered of the charges of defects in the ordnance and ammunition, communicated to Senator Freylinghuysen. Daniels charged there was a spy and traitor in the navy department.

GOOD MUSIC TO FEATURE PROGRAM AT ELKS FLAG DAY

Good vocalists will be a particular feature of the Elks Flag Day program at the Arcade theatre Thursday evening. Aside from Miss Edna Coult and Eugene Molitor of this city another talented vocalist will be Mrs. Ralph Saling of Weston. The program in detail for the Elks Flag Day is as follows:

LORD NORTHCLIFFE IN AMERICAN PORT

Until Credentials are Presented He Declines to Make an Extended Statement of Publication. NEW YORK, June 11.—Lord Northcliffe has reached an American port. Until his credentials are presented he declines to make an extended statement. Previously he declared his coming was strictly for business and he would open an office down town in New York. He came to coordinate the work which the British organizations had already established.

O.W.R. & N. EMPLOYEES TAKE LIBERTY BONDS

\$12,000 is subscribed by Workers at Pendleton and Rieth, the Loan Being Made Through Railroad Company. Employees of the O.W.R. & N. at Pendleton and Rieth have subscribed to Liberty Bonds to the extent of \$12,000, the subscriptions being made through the railroad company, payments for the bonds to be made in installments deducted from salaries.

JAMES JOHNS JR. IS NOMINATED AS SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Petitions were started in Zhoulton Saturday by ladies of the Parent-Teacher association for the nomination of James Johns Jr. as a member of the Pendleton school board. There are two new members to be elected on the 18th to succeed J. T. Brown and G. W. Phelps.

PERSHING'S ADVANCE GUARD IS IN PARIS

PARIS, June 11.—Colonels McCarty, Taylor and Ireland and Captains Dorn and Moore, the advance guard of Pershing's staff, have reached Paris. Paris is planning a tremendous reception in Pershing.