



Social and Personal

Word was received here today by Will M. Peterson of the marriage yesterday of his former law partner...

Truck company or officially speaking, the Smith Motor Truck Corporation of Seattle, was here yesterday on a visit to the Pendleton Cadillac Auto company...

A call meeting of the civic club will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the club room at the library.

Mrs. Bert Geer and daughter Mary arrived yesterday from Toledo and are visiting as guests of Mrs. Geer's sister, Mrs. Lee D. Drake.

Jack O'Neill, former traveling passenger agent for the O-W, R. & N., and now in the same capacity on the Southern Pacific, was here yesterday conducting some work for "Jimmy" Hicks who is east on his vacation.

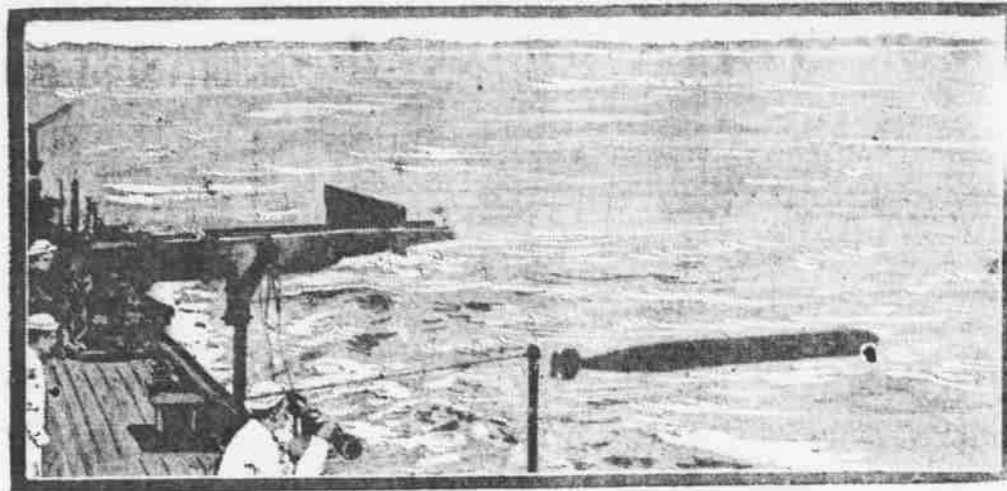
C. O. Black of the Smith Form-A-

Advertisement for Anasco Cameras & Speedex Film, featuring an illustration of a camera and a runner.

Lemons Whiten and Beautify the Skin! Make Cheap Lotion

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier...

TORPEDO OF AMERICAN WARSHIP POISED IN MIDAIR



This unusual photograph shows a ship just as it has left the torpedoes and before it had struck the water on its mission of destruction.

J. D. Casey of Menham is a Pendleton visitor. William F. Rubin of Nolin was an overnight visitor in the city.

Herman Bellino, Coombs Canyon farmer, is making Pendleton a visit. Felix A. Johnson and William Casey of Bangor are at the Bowman.

Earl E. Dudley, Weston farmer drawn on the first draft, is in the city today.

A. W. Walks, traveling representative of Bushong & Co., is paying Pendleton a visit.

W. H. Daughtrey, president of the Union stockyards, came up from Portland this morning.

A. M. Perkins and Misses Anna and Violet Hynd of Cecil were here last evening en route to Ukiah on a visit.

Mrs. R. E. Mansfield, Lloyd W. Mansfield and Evelyn Mansfield composed an auto party of Seaside, Wash., people here last evening.

Hruce Dennis, former editor of the La Grande Observer and now touring the state for the Oregon Defense League, is a Pendleton visitor today.

RUSSIA EXPECTS STABLE CREDIT SOON

Hopes by Establishing Commercial Monopolies to Quickly Get a Footing.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 17.—N. V. Nekrasoff, vice premier and minister of finance, made a statement to the press today regarding the financial resources of the country in which he expressed his opinion that commercial monopolies the government proposes to establish soon would bring about a stable condition of credit.

"The demands of the budget exceed the forecasts as regards the income from direct taxes which already was at a maximum," the statement says. "The finance ministry proposes to establish a number of state commercial monopolies as an extreme measure. It considers that the guaranty of Russia's prosperity lies in the development of public and private industrial and commercial enterprises."

"In our troubled condition allowances must be made. Therefore, we

aim to cooperate with the ministry of commerce and industry to support development of our resources. It is realized our credit abroad depends on events on the battlefield but we believe our trials soon will end with our financial credit again stable. Incidentally, subscriptions to the Liberty Loan so far total \$1,759,000,000."

M. Chernoff, minister of agriculture, has challenged Prof. Millikoff, former foreign minister, to appear before an arbitration court in connection with his comments in his newspaper the Retch on the charges against M. Chernoff. The Retch has been prominent in attacking M. Chernoff. Prof. Millikoff has accepted the challenge and nominated legal representatives.

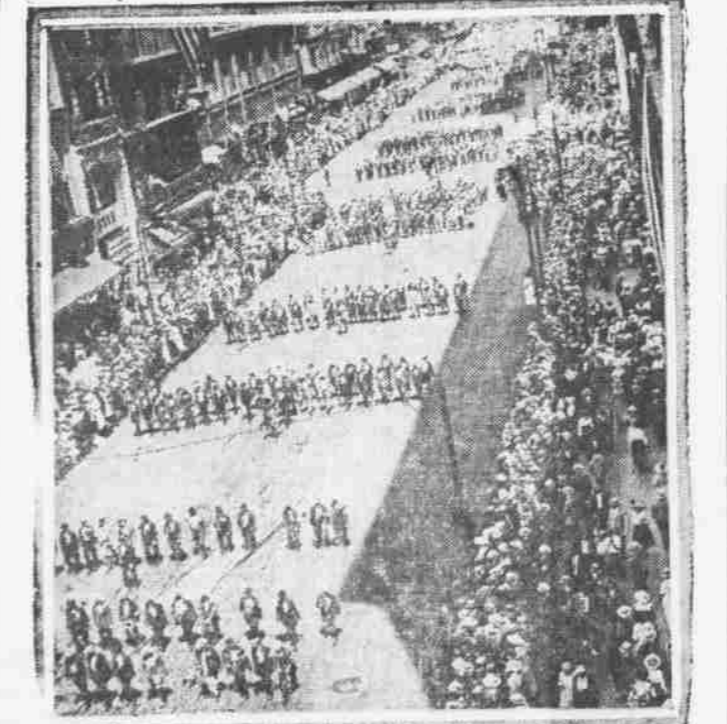
It was recently charged that M. Chernoff had been connected with the German general staff. This led to his resignation as minister and finally in the resignation of the cabinet. M. Chernoff successfully defended himself against the accusations and again became a member of the reorganized ministry.

Norway Vary of Offending U. S. CHRISTIANIA, Aug. 17.—The conference of Scandinavian and other neutral ministers will be convened here in September, but there is a strong feeling against any agreement being reached which would tend to disturb the friendly relations between Norway and the United States.

FOREST GROVE MAN KILLED FOR DEER

FOREST GROVE, Aug. 15.—While going to hunt deer on Sals creek in the mountains 10 miles from Cherry Grove, with John Miller, Tuesday afternoon, James Thompkins, a native of Washington county and a brother in law of Charles F. Miller of the internal revenue department of Portland, was instantly killed when he was mistaken for a deer. The body

FIRST OF NATION'S DRAFT ARMY PARADES



Chicago's soldiers of the first draft, the chosen men, called by the country for the foremost ranks of the new National Army, made appearance in Chicago's streets in shirt sleeves and without uniforms and marched through the streets amid the wild acclaim of what seemed all of the city's population.

The photograph shows the soldiers of the first draft army coming up State street in Chicago. At this point they are crossing the world's busiest corner.

Advertisement for Post Toasties cereal, featuring a cartoon character and the text 'OUR GROCER TOLD ME'.

COUNTY AGENTS TO AID FOOD OUTPUT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The task of maintaining during the war an ample supply of food will be attacked on a still larger scale by the United States Department of Agriculture through a score or more of projects, under the provisions of the food production bill just enacted by congress.

While most of the projects will be extensions of present activities, some of them will represent new undertakings. The task will be to find just where the country standing in so far as the adequacy of the present food supply is concerned, to speed up the production of food crops wherever this can be done, and to stop as many as possible of the leaks through which hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of edible products annually is wasted.

To Increase County Agent Force.

One of the most important steps to be taken in emergency agricultural work will be the extension of the existing force of county agents—the joint field employees of the Department and the States who come into most direct contact with farmers. With the addition of the new county agents an agent will be situated in practically every agricultural county in the United States, that will cooperate to advise and assist farmers in every way possible on matters of production, conservation and marketing. The number of women county agents in rural counties will be considerably increased and other women agents will be placed in a number of the larger towns and cities. These women will stimulate the production of garden truck, poultry and other products by women and children, and will advise and instruct in regard to the most efficient methods of food utilization and conservation.

NO GUARD OFFICERS FROM OUTSIDE RANKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—By the terms of the national defense act the future officering of the national guard units drafted into the federal service is provided, a fact which is evidently not understood by many commission seekers, some of whom have written to congressmen asking if they could be assigned to this service.

The national defense act says that commissions in the national guard shall be given to men belonging to that organization, appointments below the rank of colonel being placed absolutely in the hands of the president. Above that rank the president's selections must be confirmed by the senate.

Apparently there is no way in which a man from the regular army from civil life or from the new draft army, which is officially known as the national army, can break into a commission in the national guard. The commissions will go in natural course to non-commissioned officers of the national guard as vacancies occur.

Adjutant General McCain in this connection has informed Senator Chamberlain that the policy of the department probably will be to select officers for the national guard from lists of the non-commissioned officers.

PREPARE FOR THE CRISIS

Every mother awaiting motherhood should get in condition for the crisis. There is just one thing to do—give nature a helping hand throughout the waiting period. No time should be lost in beginning the use of the penetrating external preparation "Mother's Friend". By its use during the period the muscles of the abdomen are made pliable and elastic; they can then expand with ease when baby is born and pain at the crisis is naturally less.

EVERYTHING IN SEASON AT THE VERY LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Table listing various fruits and vegetables with prices: Oranges, dozen 30c to 50c; Lemons, dozen 30c; Water Melons, pound 2c; Canteloupes 10c, 3 for 25c; Bananas, extra large, dozen 40c; Bartlett Pears, California, 10c lb., 40c doz; Thompson Seedless Grapes, lb. 15c; basket 75c; Peaches 75c box to \$1.25; Cooking Apples, 6 pounds for 25c; Fine Eating Apples, pound 5c; Cherries 10c box, 3 for 25c; Black Berries, box 10c; Sugar Corn, dozen 30c; Sweet Potatoes, pound 15c; New Spuds, 6 pounds for 25c; Onions, 6 pounds for 25c; Pineapple, 2 cans for 25c; California Sun Maid Raisins, 2 pkgs. for 25c; Hespco Coffee, pound 30c; Crystal White Soap 5c; Peanut Butter, pound 20c; Knight's High Grade Pickles, sour 15c pint; sweet 20c pint.

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Advertisement for Thompsons Drug Store, featuring a phone number 520 and a list of medical supplies.

Advertisement for Dr. F. L. Ingram, Dentist, located in Rooms 3 and 4, Belts Bldg., Telephone 523.

Advertisement for Grain Sacks For Sale, 10 1/2c, Eastern Hide & Junk Co., Opposite O-W, R. & N. Depot, Telephone 361.

Advertisement for Armand's face powder, 'The only NEW face powder in the past 50 years', 50 cents, Koepfen's.

Advertisement for Con Dung Low Chop Suey Noodles, Hot Tamales, Chilli Con Carne, Lunches, and Coffee, located at Under State Hotel.

Large advertisement for Crawford & Hedges, featuring '100 New Rugs' and 'Fall Floor Coverings are Now on Display'.