

DESTRUCTIVE TYPHOON HITS TOKIO, FORTY THOUSAND MADE HOMELESS

Worst Hurricane and Flood in Twenty Years Completely Paralyzes Shipping and Railroads; Three Million Damage Done in Tokio Alone; More Than 80 Dead; Sumida River Rising and More Damage Expected; Imperial Palace is Damaged; Ships Whipped From Moorings.

TOKIO, Oct. 3.—Late estimates place the dead at 138 and the homeless at 100,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Four hundred thousand are destitute at Tientsin, China, from floods according to a state department telegram.

TOKIO, Oct. 3.—One of the most destructive typhoons and floods in 20 years destroyed thousands of buildings, rendering 40,000 homeless, paralyzed shipping and railroads and did three million dollars damage to Tokio alone.

The storm broke Monday, striking first Tokio bay over the eastern Pacific. The whole shore line was inundated. A small tidal wave accompanied the wind and rain.

EARLY RESPONSE IS BEING MADE TO THE LIBERTY LOAN PLEA

The local public is responding much earlier to the appeals in the second Liberty Loan campaign than they did in the first.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The shipbuilders' wage adjustment board has left for the Pacific coast.

FRENCH AVIATORS BOMB OVER BADEN

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Halg reported only mutual artillery in the Ypres sector.

TO COMPILER LIST OF WOMAN POWER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Definite plans for registration of the nation's woman power were approved today by the woman's committee of the council of national defense.

WAITSBURG RESIDENT DIES ON TRAIN HERE

W. C. Smith, a prominent resident of Waitsburg, Wash., died this morning at 6:10 as he was passing through Pendleton on a train en route from Boise to his home.

The body was taken off the train here and prepared for shipment home at the Folsom undertaking parlors.

HOUSER ANNOUNCES RULES TO GOVERN MOVEMENT OF WHEAT TO NORTHWESTERN TERMINALS

PORTLAND, Oct. 3.—(Special to East Oregonian)—Max Houser issued a statement today which is as follows in part: "I wish to announce that the food administration grain corporation is now ready to purchase and pay for wheat delivered in approved licensed warehouses, elevators and docks, as per schedule listed below."

ASTORIA—Port of Astoria, Albina Dock, Globe Elevator, Irving Dock, Montgomery Dock No. 2, Municipal Dock No. 1, Municipal Dock No. 2, North Bank Dock, P. C. E. Co. Dock, Marine Dock.

FIRE IN JOHNS BLOCK DOES DAMAGE ESTIMATED AT \$10,000

Damage ranging from \$5000 to \$10,000 was done last evening in a fire that started about 8:15 in the back end of the Crawford and Hedges furniture store in the Johns (Judd) block.

Early Evening Blaze Destroys Part of Crawford-Hedges Furniture Store and Cohn Hat Shop.

men out. Meanwhile James Johns, Jr., owner of the building, had telephoned in an alarm and the fire department responded quickly.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 3.—Foreign Minister Von Kuhlmann issued a statement, denying that Germany made separate peace proposals to France and England.

HOBSON HERE OCT. 15.—Captain Richmond Hobson, hero of the Merrimac and former congressman, is to speak in Pendleton at the M. E. church the evening of Oct. 15 on the subject of War Time Prohibition.



RUSS CONGRESS VOTES AGAINST COALITION GOVT.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—An American vessel severely damaged but none of crew is injured.

AMERICAN VESSEL SEVERELY DAMAGED BUT NONE OF CREW IS INJURED.

ENGLISH SHIP TOWS DESTROYER TO PORT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—An American destroyer in European waters was severely damaged in a night collision with a British naval vessel, the navy department announced.

ALLIES TIGHTENING NET TO PREVENT SUPPLIES FROM REACHING GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—England's action in declaring an embargo on Holland and Scandinavian countries is a preliminary to the new trade agreements which will completely prevent supplies reaching Germany.

GOVERNMENT LEASES THE WRIGHT AVIATION FIELD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The government has leased the Wright field in North Dayton, Ohio, for an aviation experimental field.

AMERICANS TOSSING HAND GRENADES IN FRANCE



Here you see American troops in France tossing hand grenades in practice, but just as they will toss them when they go into the trenches against the Germans.

U. S. DESTROYER AND BRITISH NAVAL VESSEL CRASH IN INKY DARKNESS

The crew of neither vessel was blamed. It was learned at the dry dock examination that the destroyer revealed an immense hole in her side, two davits were destroyed, the galley and funnel broken and the foremast was smashed.

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AMERICAN MEDICAL OFFICER IS KILLED

LA FOLLETTE ACCUSED BY HELFIN

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE



Representative J. Thomas Helfin, States Congress. In making his motion, Congressman Helfin cast particular indignation upon Senator La Follette, who represents the senatorial district.

INCREASE IN FREIGHT RATE IS POSTPONED

I. C. C. Indefinitely Postpones Operation Trans-Continental Increases to Coast.

WOULD HAVE BEEN IN EFFECT OCT. 15

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The interstate commerce commission indefinitely postponed the operation of transcontinental freight increases from and to Pacific terminals on iron, steel, canned goods, cotton, glass, leather, lumber and clothing.

BUSINESS PROPERTY HERE CHANGES HANDS

MR. AND MRS. E. T. BROWN PURCHASE LOTS 3 AND 10 ON COTTONWOOD STREET.

C. S. Buffum Succumbs Suddenly to Apoplexy

WELL KNOWN WALLA WALLA TRAVELING MAN IS STRUCK

Charles S. Buffum, well known Walla Walla traveling man who made Pendleton regularly, died suddenly last night about 9:30 in the lobby of the Grand Hotel in Walla Walla of apoplexy.

FEDERAL MAN IS AFTER SMUT EVIL

J. C. Hawkins Observing Conditions and Working With Farmers Against Pest.

For the purpose of investigating the smut situation and to work with farmers in efforts to eradicate the evil J. C. Hawkins of the department of agriculture, working in connection with the O. C. extension service, is now in this county.