

East Oregonian

WEATHER FORECAST. Tonight and Friday fair; cooler tonight.

AMERICA HOPES U.S. LEADERSHIP MAY AID RUSSIA

Expedition Planned Under Japanese Supervision Displeases Russian People.

U. S. CONSIDERED HER BEST FRIEND

After July 4 Slowing up of Troop Transport to France Will Give Opportunity.

(CARL D. GROAT.) WASHINGTON, June 12.—The American government is striving hard to arrange to send troops to Russia under Russo-American leadership.

The government wishes to report July 4 that a million Americans have gone to Europe. Thereafter we must slow up troop transport.

GREAT NUMBERS UNNECESSARY The proposal receiving the greatest support is the use of troop ships after July 6th to convey American troops to Russia.

SIX NORTHWEST BOYS NAMED IN CASUALTIES Today's List Has 188, Including Four Oregonians Severely Wounded.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—General Pershing reported 188 casualties including 15 killed in action, 130 severely wounded.

SERVICE TO ARMY MEN OFFERED BY NEW HOME SECTION The Home Service Section of the Red Cross in connection with its purpose of aiding enlisted men in settling up home affairs before their departure.

ORDNANCE OUTPUT TO BE MUCH INCREASED WASHINGTON, June 12.—The Midvale Steel Company will extend its Philadelphia plant this morning.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY PATRIOTIC SERVICE LEAGUE WILL ORGANILE Umatilla county will soon have the woman's auxiliary to the Umatilla County Patriotic Service League.

TWENTYNINE FOE PLANES DESTROYED SINCE SATURDAY LONDON, June 12.—British airmen assisting the French in the western portion of the Oise front have destroyed 29 enemy airplanes since Saturday.

VIEW ON DESTROYER PROTECTING TROOPSHIP FROM U-BOATS ON COAST The orderly transport of troops to Europe was not halted by the appearance of U-boats off the Jersey coast.



The orderly transport of troops to Europe was not halted by the appearance of U-boats off the Jersey coast. This photograph was taken of the stern of a destroyer, with her two guns scouring the sea for submarines to protect the troop ship in the distance.

BRIEF, DRENCHING RAIN AIDS CROPS BUT MORE IS NEEDED

Rainfall Was General Over Most of Umatilla County. Eleven one-hundredths of an inch is the amount of the rain reported by the weather bureau in Pendleton yesterday.

The rain yesterday afternoon, according to all reports, was quite general. Reports from different parts of the county's grain district show good showers as far west as Nolin.

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AUSTRIA'S SITUATION IS NEARING CRISIS

Government Cannot Fill Promises Made to Squelch January Strikes; People Desperate.

GERMANY DOES NOT RELY ON UKRANIA

Cancellation of Suffering People Mingled With Concessions to Pan-Germanism.

(JOSEPH SHAPLEN.) STOCKHOLM, June 12.—A staff correspondent of the Arbiter Zeitung told me "Austria's food situation is again most serious. The government is not fulfilling its food promises made to squelch the January strikes.

The Austrian newspaperman said the food situation in Austria always was worse than in Germany. Food from Ukraina is problematical.

Recently there was a severe battle between the Germans and Slovaks in Vindobona and most serious disturbances occurred at Lebach.

The Reichsrath is strangled with fear because people are demanding strong action against war profiteers and landholders.

The government seeks to conciliate the starving and suffering Bohemian population only with shadowy reforms.

Austria is again in Germany's clutches, due largely to the traitorous attitude of Scheidtmann, leader of the German majority socialists.

Next Tuesday will see the visit of county agents and farmer representatives from seven counties to Pendleton and vicinity.

THE MEN WILL FIRST VISIT COUNTY AGENT M. S. SHROCK'S OFFICE, noting his filing and other business methods.

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BOCHE HURLED BACK ACROSS MATZ RIVER BY FRENCH STROKE

First Counter on East Wing of New Oise Front Takes Territory, Prisoners and Guns; Germans Advance Slightly Near Coevre, But Suffer Defeat With Big Losses on Marne.

FLAG DAY WILL BE OBSERVED BY B.P.O.E.

Public Program Will be Held at Lodge Room Tomorrow.

With a public program tomorrow evening, Pendleton Lodge No. 288, B. P. O. E., will observe the regular annual Elks Flag Day ceremony.

The program of the evening is announced as follows: 1—March, "Stars and Stripes Forever, Breach's Orchestra."

2—Song, "America," by members and audience. 3—Introductory exercises.

4—Prayer by chaplain. 5—Solo, "Say a Prayer," by Chas. O. Breach.

6—Reading, "History of the Flag," by Lee D. Drake. 7—Community sing, "The Red, White and Blue."

8—Solo, "We will never let the old flag fall," by Miss Esther South. 9—Altar service.

10—"Elks' tribute to the flag," by C. S. Cheshire. 11—Address, Rev. Alfred Lockwood.

12—"The Star Spangled Banner," by Walter Rose. Officers of Pendleton lodge at present are J. H. Estes, exalted ruler; L. D. Drake, esteemed leading knight; P. J. McMonies, esteemed loyal knight; L. C. Campbell, esteemed lecturing knight; Thomas Fitz Gerald, secretary; R. M. Magberry, treasurer; A. B. Kessan, squire; C. G. Crawford, inner guard; Thomas Smart, Tyler; J. E. Snyder, chaplain; G. W. Phelps, J. V. Tallman, J. R. Baley, trustees.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—"They make mighty efficient military messengers." This today was Colonel H. M. Ditchman's word of praise for ten San Francisco boy scouts who are on duty at the reserve officers' training camp at the Presidio.

The boys, all of whom are "specialty qualified" scouts picked for the honor, live in the barracks at the training camp, eat the soldier "grub" along with the other men in khaki, and obey the same bugle calls as their older comrades.

They spend their time carrying messages to and from the different barracks and to and from the office of Lieutenant A. C. Shreve, camp adjutant.

ROME, June 12.—The pope writes to the Bishop of Lombard deploring misrepresentations placed on his attitude regarding the war. He declared he would continue unspurring efforts to end the war.

WITH THE AMERICANS ON THE MARNE, June 12.—The Americans, holding a three mile front between Bourches and Torcy this afternoon repulsed two German attacks in the twelfth day and night of fighting.

They took 50 prisoners including a captain and captured several machine guns. The enemy suffered heavy casualties.

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