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THOUSANDS MARCH FOR PREPAREDNESS

Chicago Has 130,214 People in Line in Behalf of Defense.

PORTLAND HAS BIG SHOWING

Other Cities Also Indulge in Monster Celebrations to Give Emphasis to National Welfare Call.

Chicago—The greatest parade ever held in Chicago ended Saturday night after 130,214 persons, one-sixth of whom were women, had filed through the streets in the preparedness demonstration. The parade was 11½ hours in passing. More than 1,000,000 persons are estimated to have witnessed it. The night division was made up largely of militia organizations, which included all branches of the army and navy service.

The parade began at 9 o'clock in the morning and did not conclude until nearly midnight.

All day long and far into the night the marchers, massed from curb to curb, rolled like a tide through the streets. It was as if the great skyscrapers were the banks of a river and the marching thousands, each person with an American flag, the water moving between them.

Major General T. H. Barry, commander of the Central department, U. S. A., who sat in the reviewing stand, declared it to be the greatest and most inspiring spectacle he had ever witnessed.

The demonstration impressed by its bulk, and by the absence, to a large extent, of the hilarity accompanying most parades. There were no floats, no comic costumes and little of the holiday spirit apparent. The airs played by the bands either were patriotic or military.

Portland Has 15,000 in Line.

Portland—Prepare! This was the unquestioned sentiment of what is variously estimated at between 15,000 and 20,000 citizens who marched through Portland's streets Saturday night, their shoulders squared, their heads up, alert and ready, facing the duties of today with confidence and courage.

It was one of the biggest parades ever held in Portland. It required one hour and five minutes to pass a given point.

On this basis it is estimated that the number in line was approximately 15,000. This was the figure of Judge C. U. Gantenbein, chairman of the committee on arrangements, who saw the entire lines pass in review.

Other unofficial estimates placed the number at as high as 20,000.

The marching column called attention to a world on fire, and drew all eyes to the lamentable fact that America is living in a house immeasurably far from being fire-proof.

The flags that fluttered everywhere waved the messaged to prepare, to guard the country from every possible ill, and they roused in the watching thousands the spirit of the occasion.

School Girls Form Living Flag.

Providence, R. I.—Rhode Island men and women 52,522 strong marched here Saturday in a preparedness parade. The procession was nearly seven hours in passing the reviewing stand. A feature was a living flag, composed of 1569 schoolgirls.

17,000 Parade in Rain.

Hartford, Conn.—Men and women, estimated in number at fully 17,000, marched here Saturday afternoon in a "preparedness parade." Rain fell at frequent intervals, but the 16 divisions swung steadily along, taking nearly two and a half hours to pass a given point.

50,000 in St. Louis Demonstration.

St. Louis—More than 50,000 St. Louisians marched through the streets here Saturday to demonstrate the city's overwhelming favor toward Natoinal preparedness.

10,000 March at Salt Lake.

Salt Lake City—The "preparedness" parade here Saturday afternoon brought out a body of marchers estimated at more than 10,000.

6000 Parade at Lima.

Lima, O.—Six thousand preparedness advocates marched in a parade here Saturday. Every marcher carried a flag.

5000 in Parade at Springfield, O.

Springfield, O.—City and county officials led a preparedness parade in which 5000 persons participated here Saturday.

Mail Rifled of $4000.

Roundup, Mont—A pouch containing registered mail was cut open and rifled of between $4000 and $5000 in currency in the Milwaukee depot in Roundup Thursday night, according to information given out by postal authorities. The cache is said to have consisted of bank remittances and postal funds from Klein to the depositary at Helena. The registered packages were inclosed in an ordinary first-class mail pouch. The robbery was not discovered until the clerk on the train opened the pouch to sort its contents.

Japanese Honor J. J. Hill.

Seattle—To honor the memory of James J. Hill for his part in developing trade between the United States and Japan, 60 Japanese business men of Seattle gathered at a dinner as guests of C. T. Takahashi, president of the Japanese association of North America, and for 20 years a friend of Mr. Hill. Tributes to the dead "empire builder" were given by prominent Japanese. A large portrait of James J. Hill, supplemented by an emblem with an elaborate wreath, hung at one end of the hall.

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A Kansas Editorial

It warmed our hearts the other day to see a top buggy, new and glistening, claim a place among the motor cars and farm wagons in the rank around Centerville's court house square. When we found out who owned that buggy we couldn't help but chuckle. Hodge's boy has the right idea; gasoline can burn up the roads, but a trusty old nag with a buggy will find the shortest way to Sarah's heart. Bide your time, Jim! The good old country buggy is still the king of siege guns in Centerville's affairs of affection. Two or three nights a week young Shaw takes Sarah for a spin in his flivver. Well, let him—and as often as he wants! Mere speed can't win a girl like Sarah. Give Shaw his choice moonlight nights and be you content with the dark ones. His eyes are always on the road. His hands are busy with the steering wheel. His voice is drowned in chugs and whirs and sputters. Here lies your incomparable advantage, Jim; you can lay down the reins! A long road and a shadowy one. Something to say and an eternity to say it.—Colliers.

Onion Seed Poor.

The average germination percentage of onions in Oregon is low this year, only 51.90% germinating, as compared with 75.13% for last year. The germination of over 34% of the onion samples was below 25%.

Onions make up over ten per cent of all germination tests made in the Oregon Branch Seed Testing Laboratory this year.

Practical Prohibition.

"I understand you are now one of the officials of Crimson Gulch."

"Yep," replied Bronco Bob. "I come in on the prohibition ticket."

"And how is prohibition working out?"

"Fine. We've got it fixed now so that nobody but the particular friends of us authorities can buy or sell a drop."—Wichita Eagle.

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Age of Corsets.

No one can say just when corsets first originated, but that they are of great antiquity is proved by the fact that Terence, a famous Roman dramatist, whose plays have survived 1,800 years, describes one of his characters as being "not like one of our girls whose mother compels her to tighten her body in order that she may have a small waist."

It Stirred His Bile, Though.

"I've just left Walker. He's laid up in bed."

"Bilious attack?"

"Automobilious. He was knocked down and very badly bruised."—Boston Transcript.

HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop. How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here is a letter from a woman who had to work, but was too weak and suffered too much to continue. How she regained health:—

Frankfort, Ky.—"I suffered so much with female weakness that I could not do my own work, had to hire it done. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I tried it. I took three bottles and I found it to be all you claim. Now I feel as well as ever I did and am able to do all my own work again. I recommend it to any woman suffering from female weakness. You may publish my letter if you wish."—MRS. JAMES CONLEY, 516 St. Clair St., Frankfort, Ky.

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GERMANS VICTORS IN BIG SEA FIGHT

Fourteen British, Nine German Ships Admitted to Have Been Sunk.

GREATEST BATTLE IN HISTORY

All-Night Engagement in North Sea Greatly Aided by Zeppelins—Casualties Reported High.

London—Picking its way from its base in the Kiel Canal, the German high-sea fleet Wednesday afternoon emerged into the North Sea, and, off the coast of Jutland, engaged a British fleet throughout the afternoon and night in what probably was the greatest naval battle in the world's history so far as tonnage engaged and tonnage destroyed was concerned.

When the battle ended Great Britain had lost the battle cruisers Queen Mary, Indefatigable and Invincible, the cruisers Defence, Black Prince and Warrior and eight torpedo boat destroyers.

The German battleship Pommern was sent to the bottom by a torpedo and the cruiser Wiesbaden sunk by the British gunfire. In addition several German torpedo craft are missing and the small cruiser Frauenlob was seen badly listing and was believed to have gone to the bottom.

These losses have all been admitted by Great Britain and Germany.

Aside from Great Britain's conceded losses, Germany says that the British battleship Warsprite, sister ship of the Queen Elizabeth, and one of the largest and most powerful ships afloat, had been sunk; that the battleship Marlborough, a vessel of 25,000 tons, had been hit by a torpedo, and a submarine had been destroyed.

Great Britain also added to Germany's acknowledged losses with the claim that one dreadnaught of the Germna Kaiser class—vessels of 24,700 tons and carrying a complement of 1088 men—had been attacked and destroyed by British torpedo craft; that another battleship of the same class was believed to have been sunk by gunfire; that one battle cruiser had been blown up and two others damaged and that six destroyers and a submarine also had been sent to the bottom.

Great Britain's admitted loss in tonnage was 114,810 for six battle cruisers and cruisers. That of Germany, excluding the tonnage of the Wiesbaden, of which vessel there is no record, was 15,172.

That the casualties in the fighting off Jutland were heavy is indicated by the fact that of the crew of some 900 on board the Indefatigable only two men are known to have been saved.

Six Zeppelins participated in the naval engagement, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Daily Mail. One of the dirigibles, the L-24, was hit several times and badly damaged, the report says, but she was able to reach the Schleswig coast. Several of her men were wounded, and all of her supplies had to be thrown overboard.

The scene of the battle was in the Eastern waters of the North Sea. It is probable that the German fleet was on one of the excursions into the North Sea, which it has taken from time to time during the war, and met, whether or not by design, with the British fleet.

Skager-Rak is an arm of the North Sea between Norway and Denmark. The point referred to in the official German statement as Horn Riff probably is the reef off the Horn, on the southwestern extremity of Denmark

This would indicate that the battle was fought off the coast of Denmark. From the reef to Helgoland, the main German naval base in the North Sea, is about 100 miles.

A dispatch from Copenhagen declares it is generally stated in Berlin that the activity of the German fleet was due to the energetic demands of Emperor William to his brother, Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia, commander-in-chief of the navy, and Admiral von Capelle, minister of the navy, on the emperor's visit last week to Wilhelmshaven.

Torpedo Boats First In Fight.

Copenhagen—A Danish steamer reports that Wednesday afternoon, 120 miles off Hanstholm, it was stopped by two British torpedo-boats to have its papers examined. At the same moment a large German fleet appeared, and the British warships immediately prepared for action. The German fleet consisted of five large modern dreadnaughts, eight cruisers and 20 torpedo boats and destroyers. Suddenly they began firing, and hundreds of shells splashed around the torpedo boats, without, however, hitting them.

Dutch Rescue Survivors.

London—A Dutch trawler has arrived at the Hook of Holland with one dead and seven live Germans, who were saved from the naval battle, says a dispatch from The Hague. Another trawler has taken into Ymuiden three German officers and 12 sailors, and one British sailor, who was wounded. A dispatch from Rotterdam to the Reuter Telegram company reported the tugboat Scheldeentering in the new waterway with dead and wounded from the naval battle. A steam trawler also reported with 15 rescued Germans.

Battle Aid to Peace.

Washington, D. C.—Reports of the naval engagement in the North Sea aroused the greatest interest here, not only in naval circles, but at the various belligerent embassies and among administration officials. It was freely predicted that if the German fleet demonstrated a real superiority, ship for ship, the effects on the prospects for peace would be considerable.

The particulars received here were inadequate as a basis for judgment.

NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS; GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS

Portland—Wheat—Bluestem, 98c per bushel; fortyfold, 90c; club, 88c; red Fife, 88c; red Russian, 88c.

Hay—Eastern Oregon timothy, $24@24.50 per ton; valley timothy, $21@22; alfalfa, old crop, $17@18.

Millfeed—Spot prices: Bran, $26@26.50 per ton; shorts, $29@29.50; rolled barley, $31.50@32.50.

Corn—Whole, $36 per ton; cracked, $37.

Vegetables—Artichokes, $1 dozen; tomatoes, $5 per crate; cabbage, $2.50@3 per hundred; garlic, 10c per pound; peppers, 25c; eggplant, 20@25c; horseradish, 8½c; lettuce, $2@2.40 per crate; cucumbers, 75c@$1 per dozen; spinach, 4@6c per pound; asparagus, 90c@$1.50 per dozen; rhubarb, 1½@2c per pound; peas, 9@10c; cauliflower, $1.25 per crate.

Potatoes—Jobbing prices: Oregon, $1.50; California, new, 3@3½c per pound.

Onions—Oregon, $1.50@2 per sack; California red, $2.25 per sack.

Green Fruits—Strawberries, Oregon, $2.25@2.75 per crate; apples, $1@1.75 per box; gooseberries, 4@5c per pound; cherries, $1@1.50 per box; cantaloupes, $4.50@5 per crate; apricots, $1.50 per box.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, current receipts, 23½c per doxn; candled, 24c.

Poultry—Hens, 15@15½c per pound; stags, 12c; broilers, 20@25c; turkeys, live, 18@20c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 23@25c; ducks, 15@16c; geese, 10c.

Butter—Exchange price, cubes, extras, 25½c; cubes, prime firsts, 25c; firsts, 24½c. Jobbing prices: Prints, extras, 27@29c; butterfat, No. 1, 27c; No. 2, 25c; Portland.

Veal—Fancy, 11@11½c per pound.

Pork—Fancy, 11@11½c per pound.

Cattle—Steers, choice grain and pulp, $8.90@9; choice hay, $8.50@8.85; choice grass, $8@8.50; good, $8.15@8.50; medium, $7.60@8; cows, choice, $7.50@7.75; good, $6.75@7.25; medium, $6.25@7.25; heifers, $5.50@8; bulls, $3@6; stags, $4.50@7.

Hogs—Prime light, $8.75@8.85; good to prime, $8.50@8.75; rough heavy, $8@8.50; pigs and skips, $7.50@8.

Sheep—Yearlings, $8@9; wethers, $7@7.50; ewes, $5.50@6.50; lambs, $8@9.25.

Idaho Crops Have Suffered.

The monthly bulletin of the Caldwell Commercial Bank, just issued, says:

Crops have suffered quite severely since our last letter, due to cold weather. On May 9, 10 and 11 a cold wave extending over this entire section of Idaho, and with a low temperature of 20 degrees above zero reported, killed practically all of the fruit and damaged the grain and hay crop to some extent, nipped the less hardy garden truck, damaged the roses and will mean quite a heavy financial loss to the country. The strawberry crop seems to have survived the best of any of the fruits. Since May 18 the rainfall has been considerable and of much benefit. The temperature for the month has been below average.

The usual anticipated rise in the price of wheat at this season has failed this year. In fact an uncertain market with a downward tendency has ruled recently. The Caldwell Milling Elevator company report paying $1.35 per cwt. for wheat, $1.15 for oats and $1.25 for barley.

Heavy shipments of hay were made during the past month and practically all of the 1915 crop is cleaned up. The first crop of alfalfa will not be up to average, due to the cold weather, and will be somewhat late.

Cantaloupes on Market.

Spokane—In spite of the wet and chilly weather the stores have managed to make a brave show of spring fruit and vegetables, although the local products have been retarded. The two novelties to be found are cantaloupes at 15 to 25 cents each and apricots at 25 cents a pound or 75 cents a box. Cherries from California are fairly plentiful at 25 cents a pound alike for the light and dark varieties. The supply of asparagus has been lessened by climatic conditions and the local crop has scarcely been touched. Warmer weather will bring it in more abundantly.

Copper Mine Reopened.

Baker, Or.—Once abandoned as an unprofitable venture, the old Paymaster mine, a copper property in the Eagle Mountains, is being reopened, since the traces of the rare ore, molybdamite, with a market value of $3000 a ton, have been found. W. A. Gilliam, Isaac and Griswold Miller and Bradley Bros., owners of the property, also believe that a considerable income may be netted from the main copper ore bodies. Assays just made of some of the ore samples give 64.3 per cent values, meaning, at the present quotations, from $300 to $400 a ton.

Strawberries Are More Plentiful.

Portland—Receipts of Oregon strawberries were larger the first of the week and prices were lower than last week, with sales at $2.25@2.50. Kennewicks sold at $3.25. California loganberries were offered at $1.25@1.50 a tray and were slow sale. California currants were quoted at $1.25 a crate. A half car of cantaloupes arrived and sold fairly well at $4.50 and $5. The last car of Florida tomatoes of the season was received. They sold at $5 a crate. New green corn from the South was put on sale at $1 a dozen.

Moisture Lowers Price.

Chicago—Breaking of the drouth in Kansas and Oklahoma resulted in lower prices for wheat. Fresh rainfalls that gave moisture where much needed in the Southwest left the wheat bulls without any immediate argument to uphold beliefs in higher values. As a consequence, commission houses were liberally supplied with orders to sell out holdings and it was apparent that speculative bears had no intention to delay putting out good-size lines before prices show too much decline.

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The Origin of Pork.

Mary had a little pig,
Its tail inclined to snarl;
It followed her to Washington,
And now it's in the bar'l.

Mary raised this little pig
Till he became a shout;
Then presented him to Congress
To capitulate the vote.

And now he rules the army,
The navy and the lakes;
Too bad he can't be captured,
From the legislative fakes.

What makes the pig so popular?
The eager people cry;
Because there's pork inside him,
And Congress doth defy.

The pen is mightier than the sword,
We often have been told.
But pens for Congress porkers
Are always built with gold.

Should Mary raise another pig,
We beg here to advise
That pigs are not for Congress,
But should be kept in sties.

—Newton Wilcoxon.

For Domestic Animals.

Horses, cattle and sheep are liable to sores, sprains, galls, calks, kicks, bruises and cuts, and Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh is the standard remedy for such cases. When you consider how valuable your stock is, having the Balsam always on hand for them is a cheap form of insurance. Adv.

Sufficient.

"Do you think we shall ever establish communication with Mars?"

"See no reason for trying to do so," replied Mr. Growcher. "Enough opporunity for diplomatic interchange down here."—Washington Star.

The Better the Day.

He—Work is scarce, but I got a job last Sunday that brought me $3.

She—What! You broke the Sabbath?

He—Well, one of us had to be broke. —Philadelphia Record.

Up to Them.

"Why did Mendelssohn compose his 'Songs Without Words'?"

"Possibly to give the audience an unhampered chance to talk."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

His Idea of It.

Teacher—Who can tell me the meaning of a "round-robin"?

Bright boy—Please, miss, it's what that burglar was doin' last night when they nabbed him.—Boston Transcript.

Sleep Impossible.

"Porter, this berth has been slept in!"

"No, sah; I assuah you, sah. Merely occupied. It's the one over the wheels, sah."—Puck.

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The Lesser Evil.

Old Grump—Why doesn't Ethel marry that young idiot? I'm getting blame tired of his coming here so much.

His Wife—I believe I'd prefer to have him come here—if she marries him he'll stay here.—Boston Transcript.

Hanford's Balsam has cured many cases of running sores of many years' standing. Adv.

Shortage in China.

"I don't like the family I'm wid. Seven courses at dinner."

"That's style."

"Not when you gotta wash the dishes from one course before you can go on wid the next."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Hanford's Balsam should relieve even the worst burns. Adv.

Familiar Character.

"I've just been reading about this latest lady criminal."

"Well?"

"She says the devil made her do it."

"That won't add anything to unwritten law. He has figured in jurisprudence before."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Invisible.

"Say," said the landlord to the tenant, who was two months shy with his rent, "when am I going to see the color of your money?"

"Can't say," replied the party of the second part. "The color just now is an, invisible green." — Indianapolis Star.

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"Anuric" Will Not Fail to Stop Your Backache.

People are realizing more and more every day that the kidneys, just as do the bowels, need to be flushed occasionally. The kidneys are an eliminative organ and are constantly working, separating the poisons from the blood. Under this continual and perpetual action they are apt to congest, and then trouble starts. Uric acid backs up into the system, causing rheumatism, neuralgia, dropsy and many other serious disturbances. Doctor Pierce of Buffalo, New York, advocates that every one should drink plenty of pure water between meals. Every day should exercise in the outdoor air sufficiently to sweat profusely, and from time to time stimulate the kidney action by meals of "Anuric." This preparation has been thoroughly tried out at his Sanitarium, in the same way as his "Favorite Prescription" for weak women and "Golden Medical Discovery," the standard herbal system tonic (both of which now come in tablet form for convenience of carrying and taking). "Anuric" is now being introduced here, and many local people are daily testifying to its perfectness.

When you have backache, dizzy spells or rheumatism, heed nature's warning. It means that you are a victim to uric acid poisoning. Then ask your druggist for "Anuric" and you will very soon become one of hundreds who daily give their thankful indorsement to this powerful enemy to uric acid.

If you have that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, rheumatism, neuralgia, or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, get Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets at drug store, full treatment $1.00, or send 10c. for trial package to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.