

ENTHUSIASM SHOWN AT RALLY FOR SALE OF SAVINGS STAMPS

County Chairman Workman
Announces Total of \$412,000
Has Been Raised Toward
Quota of \$612,000.

TO CONTINUE STAMP DRIVE
Jerome Workman, chairman of the Lane county War Savings drive committee, stated today that Lane county has purchased and pledged \$412,000 worth of War Savings Stamps, as compared with her allotted quota of \$612,000. The campaign will be continued.

"The soldier engaged in killing Germans is performing a greater service for humanity than the pastor in the church," Father Kane, Catholic priest of Corvallis, told the people of Eugene at a mass meeting last night.

Father Kane is attending the summer camp at the University of Oregon, preparing himself for service as an officer. He said that he believed it was his duty to take up the sword against the Hun and that he had taken off the robes because of the greater service he could perform by entering into the profession of the soldier.

Father Kane reviewed German atrocities and declared the causes which led to the entry of the United States into the war, and declared that Americans should not only give their money, but the last drop of their blood that the nation shall win. He first traced the history of the development of the German mind as it is today and described the philosophy of materialism which the allies are fighting today.

No Divine Right of Kings.
Father Kane declared that there is no such thing as the divine right of kings, but that the divine right belongs to the masses. He declared that the German empire, since the days of Napoleon, has been anxious to destroy democracy, and that Germany has constantly tried to prevent the spread of democracy throughout the world. "This is why our men are in the field today," he said. "Summed up, democracy means the destruction of autocracy, and autocracy means the destruction of democracy. Both cannot survive."

"Every man in this country is beginning to realize," said the speaker, "that he is a unit in this great enterprise of crushing autocracy and German savagery and barbarism. My God, if a man could listen to a recital of the atrocities of the Hun in this war and not be willing to give his last drop of blood to help crush such a people as our enemies are, he is far from being a true American citizen."

"Our country does not ask you to give it a single dollar; it does not ask you to break even with it; it does

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more than that—it pays you good interest on the money you are lending to it. If a man is unwilling to do this much for his country he should not be allowed the privilege of living beneath the folds of the noblest flag that exists."

Rev. Fagan Delivers Address.

Rev. H. M. Fagan, an evangelist of the Christian church, was the other speaker at the mass meeting which was held at the closing rally of the War Savings Stamp drive in Eugene. Rev. Mr. Fagan, who is a native of New Zealand, stated that he became a citizen of the United States because he deemed it the best country among the nations of the earth and the Stars and Stripes is the best flag that floats above human heads. "Patriotism is a living, vital thing," he said, "that goes down into the depths of life itself. It also goes down into the pockets, and if you do not go deeply enough into your pockets in this cause your patriotism is not worth a 'hill of beans.'"

He stated that there are three reasons why we should buy War Savings Stamps. The first is that it is a part of the war program of the administration which we are all bound to support, the second is that it is a good business proposition, as we are paid interest at the rate of 4 per cent, and the third is because liberty is at stake.

The Eugene municipal band gave its regular Friday night concert in connection with the mass meeting. The closing feature was the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

J. K. Pratt, chairman of the city campaign, presided at the meeting. Jerome Workman, county chairman, spoke for a few minutes, announcing that by persistent work Lane county will yet raise its quota and announcing that the campaign will be continued.

FIRST AMERICAN TROOPS SENT TO ITALY'S AID, LAND

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est yesterday totalled more than 400, Field Marshal Haig announced today.

"The total prisoners in yesterday's successful operation east of Nieppe forest exceeds 400, including those taken west of Meris," the statements said.

"Two German field guns and a number of machine guns and trench mortars also were taken."

Opposite Vaire wood, south of the Somme, and west of Feuchy there was hostile artillery fire.

"In the Nieppe forest sector there was increased mutual artillery firing."

FRENCH REPULSE ATTACK.

Paris, June 29.—German attempts to recapture positions taken by the French south of the Aisne were repulsed after a stubborn battle, the war office announced today. Southwest of Rheims there was also sharp fighting. Italians hurled the Germans from advanced positions temporarily occupied, it was reported.

Northwest of Montdidier an American raid, in which 40 prisoners, including one officer, were taken, was announced.

"South of the Aisne, the Germans attempted to eject the French from positions taken yesterday," the communique said.

"Several battalions attacked between the Fosses-en-Bas and Cutry Ravine. They were repulsed, and the French front was integrally maintained."

American Raid Succeeds.

"Southwest of Rheims there was sharp fighting in the sector between Montagne and Bligny (about half way between Rheims and the Marne. Italian troops ejected the Germans, who obtained a momentary footing in advanced elements."

"Northwest of Montdidier, in the Cantigny region, the Americans conducted a successful raid, taking 40 prisoners, including one officer."

"In the forest of Apremont, on the left wing of the American Toul sector, in Lorraine, French troops took prisoners and material in a raid."

By FRANK J. TAYLOR

United Press Staff Correspondent

With the American Armies in France, June 29.—Lieutenant Jack Chambers, piloting a British bombing plane over the German lines yesterday was severely wounded by a machine gun bullet, but stuck it out and brought his machine back safely to the American airbase.

Chambers and a British gunner went out to strafe a German troop train, reported to be moving some distance from the front. As they sailed over the enemy's positions, the latter cut loose with their "archies" and machine guns. Chambers was struck in the right arm. He calmly steered his plane over the train, while his companion showered it with bombs.

Then he darted down through the enemy barrage, so the Britisher might spray the train with machine gun fire. After their object was thoroughly accomplished, Chambers returned home, growing fainter all the time. He spotted the American airbase and glided down in a perfect landing. Then he keeled over, unconscious. When seen in an American hospital today, Chambers grinned and said:

"It's worth a wound to get the care of these American girls, believe me!"

Private Joseph Leitman, of the American field artillery, has been awarded a posthumous distinguished service cross. The citation says that "on May 27, while under heavy bombardment, he voluntarily assisted other soldiers who were buried in a dugout. He was killed."

The medal goes to his mother, Mrs. Annie Leitman, of Hammond, Ind.

FORTY-NINE PLANES LOST

London, June 29.—Thirty-three German and 16 British planes were lost in air fighting Thursday and Friday, the British air ministry announced today. More than 24 tons of bombs were dropped on enemy positions.

"On the afternoon of June 28 our air planes attacked the railway, workshops, station and sidings at Thionville," the report stated. "Observation was difficult, but direct hits were observed on the works and the railway line. Nearly three

tons of bombs were dropped on this objective."

"Our formations were attacked by hostile aeroplanes. Severe fighting ensued, during which three hostile aeroplanes were shot down and one other was driven down. Two of our machines have not yet returned, one of which is known to have been forced to land through engine trouble."

Airdromes Bombed.

"On the night of June 27-28 our aeroplanes made a successful attack on the enemy's airdrome at Bolchen. All our machines returned safely."

"The enemy bombed one of our airdromes last night. No material damage was done."

An earlier communique said:

"On June 27 a full day's work was done by our reconnaissance artillery and photographic machines and by our observation balloons."

"Twenty German aeroplanes were destroyed and nine others were driven down out of control. Fourteen of our machines are missing."

"Bombing was carried out vigorously behind the German lines and 21 tons of bombs were dropped by us during the 24 hours on railway junctions and other targets."

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

United Press Staff Correspondent

With the British Armies in France, June 29.—The Germany army put down a barrage on the new British positions east of Nieppe forest lasting from 10:30 last night until 2:30 this morning, but up to 7 o'clock this morning there was no infantry attack.

The rest of the British front remains normal.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

Rome, June 29.—Lively artillery fighting in the mountain region and considerable aerial activity was reported by the Italian war office today.

"Allied airmen bombed railway centers and troop concentrations and brought down three enemy planes," the statement said.

"On the Asiago plateau artillery fighting was lively. Elsewhere it was moderate."

MANY EUGENE WOMEN TAKE SPECIAL WORK IN SUMMER SCHOOL

College Graduates Study Stenography and Typewriting in Response to Governments' Call for Trained Workers.

Forty-five students, only three of whom are men, have enrolled in the special commerce course at the University, under the direction of Dean D. W. Morton. Well-educated women are responding to the call of the government for clerks trained in stenography and typewriting. Twenty-one college graduates and nine teachers are taking up these subjects in the summer school. The majority of these plan on taking the civil service examinations as soon as they can qualify. Most of the class members are residents of Eugene.

In these strenuous times the value of a commercial education is universally recognized, and it is expected that in the future more women will prepare themselves to earn their own livelihood by this means.

The emergency course covers a period of ten weeks, three hours every evening, and includes the subjects of bookkeeping, arithmetic, office management and business correspondence, penmanship and spelling, stenography and typewriting. Dean Morton, Professor White and Mrs. Hazel Linney are in charge of the classes. There is still time for those who are interested to enroll in this work. A special price is made to those who are taking regular summer school work in the University.

The following is the list of registrants: Mrs. H. Anderson, Lillian Auld, Edna Ball, Clara Blais, Margaret Bounds, Lillian Brock, Walter Burnap, Ruby Calhoun, Dorothy Cox, Alma Cummins, Gertrude Deierlein, Anna Dunn, W. M. Dyer, Mavetta Eaton, Mrs. Ella Edmundson, Lucille Frazier, Donna Henry, Mrs. F. Hunt, Mrs. M. Inman, Maud Jacobs, Arilla Jarvis, Vivien Kellems, Mrs. Korn, Mae Kruse, Ida Larson, Vera Mannel, Grace McClain, Mary V. Miller, Ruth Montgomery, Ruth Nye, Mae Pollock, Margaret Reynolds, Inez Russell, Emily Spulak, Agnes Sumner, Elsa Taylor, Roy Veatch, Mrs. Grace Van Boskirk, Nora Vossler, Joseph Wilson, Mrs. C. Wilson, Dorothy Wheeler, Jennie Yoder, Olive Zimmerman.

Inventor of "Free Energy" Says Officer Stole His Idea

Washington, June 29.—Elbert C. Kilpatrick, inventor, has arrived in Washington in pursuit of the scalp of Garabed T. Giragossian, inventor of "free energy," according to word received here today.

Kilpatrick claims to have invented a motor which will generate more than enough electricity to run itself.

He says he revealed the secret of this motor to an army officer who passed it along to Giragossian. This, says, Kilpatrick, is the "free energy" which Giragossian has offered to the government.

NEWSPAPERMAN CALLED

Portland, Ore., June 29.—Earnest W. Jorgenson, managing editor of the Portland News, received notice today to report for service in the national army July 22. He will entrain for Camp Lewis.

Although Jorgenson has two dependents, in a wife and child, he did not ask deferred classification.

Jorgenson worked up from office boy of the News to his present position in 1914.



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THE ARMOY
JITNEY DANCES ALL DAY LONG.

THE FAIRGROUNDS
HORSE RACING 2:30 P. M.

Chicago Barber Confesses Forgery of \$40,000 Check

San Francisco, Cal., June 29.—Charles Kochones, Chicago barber, confessed today, according to local police, that he and a confederate passed a forged check for \$40,000 on the State Bank of Illinois, Chicago.

Kochones named Alexander Palmer,

employee of the bank, as his accomplice, the police say. The barber had \$4,480 in currency in his pocket when he was arrested last night. He says he will not resist extradition.

GERMANY WOULD INTERVENE

Munich, June 29.—German newspapers declare the government is preparing for military intervention in Russia. "To re-

store order," The Russian maximalists will assist, they claim.

WANTED—Men and boys to pick cherries for the soldiers—offer services to Mrs. P. L. Campbell, state president of the National League for Women's Service, if

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