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President and Party to Spend Week-End at Coast

Magnolia, Mass., Aug. 15.—President Wilson arrived here today, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, the president's naval aide and private physician. The presidential party probably will remain over the week-end. The president left Washington at 9 o'clock last night. His visit, which was unexpected, is said to be for the purpose of resting from his war labors. While here, the president will visit

his friend, Colonel House, whom he has not seen for several months.

Hintze Denies Rejection of Favorable Peace Proposal

Amsterdam, Aug. 15.—Foreign Minister von Hintze in an interview denied Premier Lloyd-George's statement that he had rejected a reasonable peace proposal, according to a Berlin dispatch received today. "We have never received any such proposal," von Hintze said.

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GERMAN, WHO FLED FROM ALSACE, TAKEN PRISONER IN OREGON

Sheriff Elkins Arrests Alien Enemy Who Made Way to America in 1914 in Hills Above Wendling.

John Martin Vyrick, native of Alsace-Lorraine, who fled from the city of Felsberg, when the German imperial government called the class of 1917 to the colors in September, 1914, was arrested in a logging camp of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, 15 miles above Wendling, by Sheriff D. A. Elkins Wednesday, on a charge of having failed to register as an alien enemy. Vyrick had been posing as a Frenchman. A forest ranger suspected he was a German and passed the word to the sheriff who made an investigation and secured a confession.

Vyrick stated that at the beginning of the war he was without parents and had a fortune of about \$20,000. His father had been German and his mother English. He hated the German government from childhood and when the war came with the call for the class of 1917 he decided upon flight, according to his story. He made his way through Luxembourg to Belgium and there, through the assistance of a friend, who could speak Belgian, he secured passage to New York on the steamer Finland, upon which the friend had formerly been a seaman. Upon his arrival in the United States, Vyrick, who had about \$200 in his possession, made his way to Montana, where he worked on a ranch for over three years.

"I did not have any use for Germany," Vyrick stated. "I would not fight for her. I lost it out of there."

The prisoner stated that he did not register as an alien enemy, because persons in Seattle who could talk German had told him that registration would mean certain internment.

He stated that he will be 21 years of age August 30 and is willing and ready to fight for the United States. The officers are inclined to believe his story regarding his attitude toward the German government. He came to Lane county from Washington, where he had been working near Hoquiam, about six weeks ago.

BRITISH AVIATORS MAKE DARING RAIDS

Air Ministry Announces 96 Excursions Into Enemy Territory During July.

London, Aug. 15.—British aviators, in addition to rendering important aid to the other military branches in the offensive, are conducting numerous raids into Germany. According to the air ministry, 96 excursions into enemy territory were made during July.

"Fine weather on August 13 again enabled a large amount of aerial work to be carried out," the air ministry said. "The continuous bombing of the Somme bridges, coupled with that of railway lines and junctions, which has taken place night and day since the beginning of the offensive, has interfered with the arrival of the enemy's reinforcements. It has also forced the enemy to employ large formations of troops to endeavor to protect his communications, of such vital importance to his other arms, but concentrations of our machines have effectively dealt with all opposition."

"Fifty-eight tons of bombs have been dropped within the last 24 hours on the above objectives, 21 by day and 37 by night. A raid was also carried out on a hostile airfield from a low height by British and American squadrons, which resulted in six enemy machines on the ground being destroyed and hundreds set on fire."

"In fighting, 21 enemy machines were brought down and 10 driven down out of control. Six of our machines are missing."

67 COLLEGES GIVEN S. A. T. C. STANDING

Announcement of Additional Institutions to Secure New Army Units Made.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Sixty-seven colleges and universities, including Princeton, Harvard, Cornell and Yale, were today appointed units of the students army training corps. They will be equipped next month.

The list includes: University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.; Throop college of Technology, Pasadena, Cal.; University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas; South Dakota State college, Brookings, S. D.; University of California, Berkeley, Cal.; Whitman college, Walla Walla, Wash.; Leland Stanford university, California; University of Nevada, Reno, Nev.; University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyo.; Loyola university, Chicago; Des Moines college, Des Moines, Iowa; Nebraska State Normal, Peru, Neb.; University of Denver, Denver, Colo.; Cornell college, Mount Vernon, Iowa; Northwestern university, Chicago; University of Southern California, Los Angeles, Cal.; Duquesne college, Duquesne, Pa.; Colorado college, Colorado Springs, Colo.; University of Santa Clara, Santa Clara, Cal.; University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho; Montana college of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts, Bozeman, Mont.

SPRINGFIELD NEWS

Returns From Portland. Mrs. Melvin Fenwick returned from a 10 days' visit to Portland at the home of her sister. She also visited at Camp Lewis.

Go to Spokane. Joy Walker, of this city, left Wednesday for the automobile school at Spokane, Wash. He is the son of Mrs. Sarah Walker, of this city.

Return to Oregon City. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dimm, who arrived here Monday noon from Marshfield en route to Oregon City, left here Wednesday for their home. They have been attending the editors' meeting at Marshfield.

Here From Wood, California. Miss Daisy Tomseth, of Wood, Cal., is spending a few days visiting at the home of her uncle, Peter Tomseth and family. Miss Tomseth is on her way to Portland, where she will take training for a nurse.

Springfield Personals. Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Freeman, of Los Angeles, Cal., who have been visiting for the past week at the home of Mrs. A. A. Vallier and family, left for Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Scott left Tuesday for Sodusville, Ore., on a week's vacation.

Miss May Stewart, who has been here visiting at the home of Mrs. Sue Gile for several weeks, has returned to her home in Portland.

Harry Braithwaite left Wednesday for Portland, where he will be employed.

R. L. Kirk left Wednesday morning for a brief stay at the Dalles, where he will teach this coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Klin have returned from several months at Marshfield. Calvin Burns has been ill for a few days and unable to work at the mill.

BIG PROBLEMS OF STATE SAID TO BE BREWING

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developments, however, there is much to be said.

Foreign oil producers in Mexico declare that the government's proposed steps, expected to become effective within a few days, amount to confiscation and will endanger the supply of oil upon which allied naval forces are dependent. Tampico wells are being liberally drawn on for this purpose, although oil experts here say that vast natural supply of that region is barely tapped.

Mexico has seized the chance to fill her coffers with revenue from oil. The fact that it is one of the war necessities makes it an ideal subject of heavy exaction by the Mexican government. Mexico is obstinate.

Mexico is understood to have informed Great Britain, following the latter's protest of Carranza's proposed action, that she will permit no diplomatic interference in this question. The note is taken to be a broad hint to the United States also not to interfere. American interests have already registered protest and representatives have been negotiating with the Mexican government for some time.

Passing to Russia, Bolshevik outrages against allied representatives in Moscow have astounded officials in Washington.

Arrest of British and French consular staffs at Moscow and invasion of the consulates is reported in official cables to the state department.

American affairs there have been turned over to the Swedish consulate. Although no Americans have been seized, according to latest reports, British and French citizens have been imprisoned.

The Bolsheviks announced that they would hold these as hostages because of the attack on the soviet government by the landing of British and French troops at Archangel.

German Activity Seen. Germany is working under cover of the disorder to tighten her grip on affairs in Russia. She is conscripting Russian men, according to unofficial reports from London and brigading them with German and Hungarian soldiers.

Bulgaria, meantime, is growing bolder in her denunciation of Germany and Turkey.

Her bitter resentment against Turkey and Germany over territorial disputes has almost completely undermined her morale as far as aggressive fighting for the central powers is concerned.

Warm words against German and Turkish statesmen are freely expressed at public meetings, on the streets of Bulgarian cities and in the press, according to advices received in entente diplomatic quarters.

Turkey wants to recover territory ceded to Bulgaria in 1913, which includes the fertile Maritza valley. She also wants Dobrudja in payment for her part in the Balkan campaign.

Bulgaria is replying that only seven per cent of the troops in this fighting were Turkish and refuses to consider her claim to compensation.

Bulgarians Hate Turks. Bulgaria, although allied with Turkey, who in centuries past have massacred and oppressed the Bulgarians. Any aspirations on the part of Turkey are met with apprehension by the Bulgarians.

"The stronger the Turks become the more disagreeable they are to us," a leading Sofia organ declared. "The question assumes even a worse character through the attitude which our allies, the Germans, have taken." The Journal adds in commenting on Sofia's leaning toward the Turks in the dispute.

Other press comment received in official quarters here indicates the entire Bulgarian nation is becoming aroused and unified against her own allies.

THEATRES

AT THE PLAYHOUSES TODAY

REX
Elsie Ferguson
in
"A Doll's House"
and
Keynote Comedy
OREGON
Nora Talmadge
in
"De Luxe Annie"
and
Charlie Chaplin
in
"Hula Hula Land."
EUGENE
Dark.

Some reasons for the remarkable success of Commodore J. Stuart Blackton's soul-stirring drama, "Womanhood, the Glory of a Nation," starring Alice Joyce and Harry Morey with an all-star Vitagraph cast which is shown at the Eugene theatre on Saturday are listed below: New York is shown bombed from the sky.

Theodore Roosevelt makes a rousing patriotic speech.

Submarines are shown discharging torpedoes under water.

The capitol at Washington is the background for a scene containing thousands of people.

Two high blooded European gallants fight a duel with rapiers.

Navy yards and munitions factories are seen in full blast.

Zeppelins are witnessed maneuvering in action.

A new invention, the "aerial torpedo," is demonstrated.

A clever secret wireless telephone is employed to send despatches from a daring girl in the enemy headquarters to the American lines.

The legendary Columbia is brought to life with an invincible sword and shield.

A pacifist meeting turns into a riot that is anything but pacific.

A human militaristic machine slays his own son to enforce discipline and to gain time for a battle.

A Civil war battlefield strewn with hero dead is transformed into terrain peopled with restored armies.

A heroine of the nation is kidnapped in an aeroplane by foreign agents.

A whole navy is destroyed in a sea of burning oil.

The stake room of a battleship is seen engulfed as the vessel founders.

Gas attacks are conducted on the battlefield are reproduced with fidelity to actual conditions.

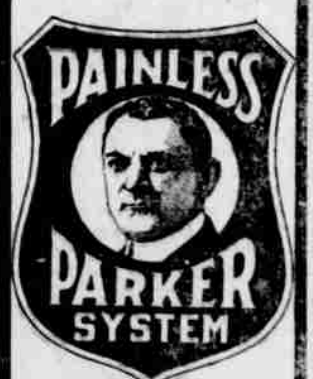
President Wilson is presented delivering an oration to a victorious nation.

The theory that a petted child, who later becomes the doll wife of a stung, bitter, lower, cannot aspire to higher attitudes of thought and action is dispelled in "A Doll's House," the latest Astoria photoplay starring beautiful Elsie Ferguson, which will be shown at the Rex Theatre today in this superb photoplay.

Mrs. Ferguson portrays a role of deep subtlety with consummate artistry. A development of a character such as Nora Helmer in this strong photoplay is one practically new to the silent drama.

Miss Ferguson is splendidly supported by a competent staff of players, all of whom have appeared to the highest advantage in motion pictures under the Paramount and Arcturion standards.

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MARRIED TEACHERS TO BE GIVEN CHANCE

Federal Education Commissioner Urges Repeal of Rule Barring Wedded Instructors

Washington, Aug. 15.—Repeal the rule barring married teachers from our schools" was the advice Commissioner of Education Clayton sent broadcast today. His action follows receipt of the following letter, half of which is withheld:

"As you know, most of the large cities will not employ married women as teachers in the high schools. As you also know the war department has placed in class one all men whose wives were educated to earn a living. Many of these women were teachers in the larger high schools. These positions are now closed to us and we must teach in a small town—several subjects in which we are indifferently prepared, at a small wage—all because we have husbands who are giving themselves in answer to their country's call. Is this fair? Kansas City, Mo., Kansas City, Kansas, Topeka, Kansas, and many other cities have courteously returned all applications, saying they employ no married women."

BOCHE NOT ENTIRELY SURPRISED

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for a retreat with the usual machine gun emplacements. As a consequence, Humbert's army reached its first objective—Covilly, Reims-sur-Meuse and Chevin court—within an hour.

(This represents an advance of a mile to two miles and a half).

They proceeded, taking Boulogne-la-Grasse, Conchy-le-Pots and Riquebourg (a further advance of one to four miles).

Instead of continuing toward Roy, they swung eastward on Sunday, advancing four kilometers (two and a half miles) and gaining strong tactical points. The next day German reinforcements appeared, retarding the advance but Hum-

bert already had obtained a hold on "Little Switzerland" with the desired stronghold of the Ste Cloud and Montigny farms.

Situation Favors Allies. On Tuesday he pushed a bit further, getting the dominating line along the Massif (heights). Late that afternoon his extreme right, beyond "Little Switzerland" took Ribecourt, which was a corner point in the French line before the advance of 1915 and is still extremely well organized.

The situation still favors the French, although fresh German divisions have been identified. Only a sight of this rough ravine and trench ridden country can enable one to realize the speed of the French movement. At the same time, it tells why the men are momentarily tired, although in the best of spirits on account of their accomplishments being made at the slightest possible cost.

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS (United Press Staff Correspondent)

With the British Armies in France, Aug. 15.—It is a week today since Field Marshal Haig pushed through the German lines between the Ancre and the Avre carrying the war into the open fields on the plateau east of Amiens.

Toady finds the lines re-solidified and trench warfare going on again. The Germans are prepared to put up a stiff fight anywhere between Albert and Noyon. Crown Prince Rupprecht has massed between 30 and 50 divisions there (from 340,000 to 540,000 men).

Retail Prices Increase 66 Per Cent in Five Years

Washington, Aug. 15.—Retail prices in the United States have increased 66 per cent since June, 1913, the department of labor announced today. In this five-year period the price of milk has increased 4 1/2 per cent; butter 45 per cent and eggs 55 per cent. Food prices increased seven per cent in the last year. During the month ending June 15, the average increase in prices for all was 20 per cent.

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