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## Kenneth Hawke Made Trip "Over There"

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawke Tuesday received a letter from their son, Kenneth, who is a member of the crew of the cruiser San Diego, which recently returned from a trip to European waters, having been a member of the convoy fleet which escorted seven transports of soldiers and provisions to France. The San Diego was one of the fleet which convoyed the Antilles (recently sunk by a submarine) to Europe. On that trip one of the convoys fired on a submarine, which submerged and disappeared. No ships were damaged on the outward trip, but on the return trip the Antilles was sunk. Kenneth did not state the whereabouts of the San Diego when the Antilles was sunk.

The San Diego has orders to proceed to Plymouth, Mass., to go into dry dock for slight repairs, so Kenneth will probably have a rest.

### Cafeteria Is Success

The report of the treasurer of the High School Cafeteria for the first month of its operation has just been issued and indicates that this enterprise is proving a complete success. Warm lunches are served at cost to students and teachers and the report shows that about 40 people patronize this popular eating place each day. The price of the lunch rarely exceeds 15c but the bill of fare is always a substantial one. That costs are carefully considered in determining prices is shown by a comparison of recipes and disbursements. The report for the month ending Oct. 19, 1917, follows:

Receipts—For lunches sold \$92.64. Disbursements—Paid for Groceries \$42.70; Milk \$3.40; Meat \$4.62; Bread \$3.98; Miscellaneous \$1.22; Labor \$36.89. Total Disbursements \$92.81. Loss for month 17c.

### Winter Swimming Class

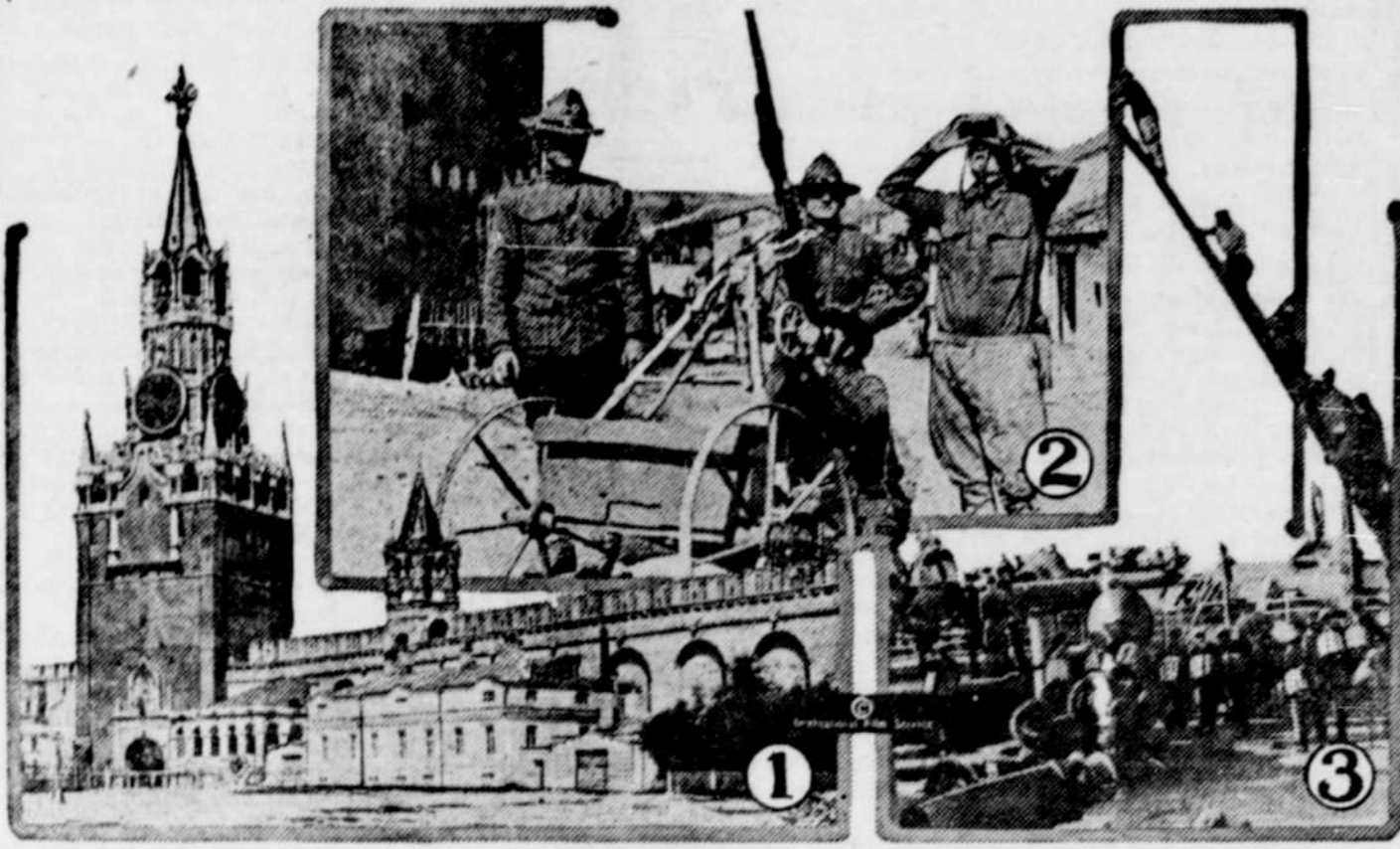
Twenty of the lovers of aquatic sports met at Anderson hall Tuesday evening and organized the S. O. S. club and the officers have arranged to use the swimming pool at the P. U. gym Tuesday and Thursday evenings until June 1st. The membership of the club is limited to forty persons and thirty-three have already signed the list. Officers were elected as follows:

E. D. Stout, Manager  
Loretta Hermesen, Secretary.  
Nellie Buell, Treasurer.  
A. G. Bryant, John Wirtz, Fred Davidson, Mrs. C. E. Smith and Mrs. W. C. Benfer, directors.

The members will take their first swim next Tuesday evening.

Quite a bunch of Forest Grove Odd Fellows went to Hillsboro last night to attend a farewell reception given by the lodge of that city for William Branda who goes to fight the Kaiser. There was music by an orchestra composed of S. A. Walker, violin; Clarence Lenneville, traps and drums, and Mrs. Frank McBride of Dilley at the piano. Then there were speeches and recitations and a nice supper.

Mrs. Ottice Shearer has been quite sick for a week and is still confined to her bed.



1—Holy Gate of the Kremlin in Moscow, the buildings which will be occupied by the Russian government when it moves from Petrograd. 2—American soldiers in France manning an anti-aircraft gun to fight German aviators who are beginning to trouble them. 3—This photograph taken on an American vessel carrying many Y. M. C. A. men to Europe, shows the passengers climbing coolly into the rigging to watch a submarine that had just been sighted.

### Initiated the Captain

After the regular business meeting of Forest Rebekah lodge last evening, Mrs. Wehrley's committee put on a nice program, including two recitations by R. C. Hill, vocal duets by Mesdames Benfer and Sherrett and a reading by Mrs. L. M. Graham. Then Noble Grand Edna Ross made a short talk, in which she told how the members appreciated the efforts of H. R. Bernard to give the lodge a good degree team. She then turned the meeting over to the degree team, whose members, headed by Mrs. Hill put their captain, Mr. Bernard, through a new degree, invented for the occasion. The charges and responses were very amusing, to say the least. Mrs. Wehrley and assistants then served cake and berry juice to all the members.

Mrs. John Anderson of this city has the honor of having been appointed assistant department inspector of Oregon for the W. R. C. and will inspect the Hillsboro Corps tomorrow, J. B. Mathews Corps of this city on Nov. 8th and the Tillamook Corps on Nov. 16th. The appointment is a good one.

Mrs. J. F. McGill went to Portland this morning to visit her son, Clinton, and wife. The shipbuilding company with which Clinton is employed is sending him to Tacoma to do some electrical work, he having supervision of this kind of work in both the Tacoma and Portland yards of his company.

Grand Chief Patriarch Walker of the Encampment degree of the I. O. O. F. will visit Forest Grove next Monday night and all the I. O. O. F. bodies of the city will join in entertaining him and being instructed by him.

Capt. and Mrs. C. O. Branson, noted M. E. evangelists, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson over Sunday, Captain Branson preaching at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

L. M. Graham and O. S. Higby are in Portland, arranging the Washington county exhibit for the Land Products show. Dan Pierce took the exhibits to Portland yesterday.

## All-College Day at Old Pacific

At 10 o'clock Friday morning began the celebration of All-College Day, when the three lower classes performed in "take off" stunts on each other. The Juniors have the honor of depicting the life of the Faculty and Seniors and their stunt this year was a gathering of both groups in Herrick Hall to view the body of the late Kaiser, who had succumbed to the dreadful disease "Hooverization." Following this, the Sophomores gave the "Frosh" in limerick form and last, but not least, the Freshmen showed what they had learned in their short stay at Pacific about their deadly enemies, the Sophomores.

At eight o'clock in the evening the "Frosh" were led into the "inferno" at the gym and compelled to endure various punishments for being "Frosh."

After the "Frosh" had made themselves presentable, everyone gathered in Herrick Hall to partake of a light banquet and listen to various toasts which were responded to as follows: "Presumptions" Toastmaster, Irwin Turner; "Understanding" by Prof. Handlin, who represented the Faculty, "Follies" by Clinton Ostrander of the class of '15; "Responsibility" by Miss Mack of the Seniors; "Ostentation" by Miss McKinney of the Juniors; "Supposition" by Harry Romig of the Sophomores, and "Heedlessness" by Lloyd Appleman of the Freshman.

### Again Postponed

The suit of the Elliott Construction company against the city of Forest Grove was called in Judge Morrow's court at Portland Monday and the court took an adjournment to visit this city and view the sewer itself. When court convened yesterday the city asked a continuance because of the illness of Attorney Fulton, attorney for the city. Continuance to Nov. 19th was granted.

Because Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett of the Thatcher district are going to California for the winter, fifty of their friends gave them a surprise party Saturday evening, bringing well-filled baskets of refreshments. A good time was enjoyed by all.

### Father Buck's Farewell Service

A large congregation attended services at the Catholic church last Sunday, the occasion being a farewell to Rev. Father Buck, who leaves Forest Grove to take up the duties as pastor of Salem and Catholic chaplain to the various State institutions at the capital.

Father Buck sang the High Mass and the choir was augmented by members from the Cornelius choir, directed by Mrs. Lucy Seus. Rev. Father VanClarenbeck of Verboort preached the sermon, which was able and fitting. He reviewed something of the work the retiring pastor has done in the eight years since he came to Forest Grove as pastor, the building of the three churches at Cornelius, Forest Grove and Gaston respectively, speaking of the spiritual growth also which has been most gratifying, and then mentioned the love of the people for their pastor, which has always been in evidence. This love, he said, had been shown by the presentation of a handsome gold chalice from Forest Grove, a well filled purse from Cornelius and a fine silk umbrella from the altar boys.

Not only are the Catholics regretting the removal of Father Buck, but his hosts of non-Catholic friends as well, while appreciating the honor the promotion has conferred upon him, are sincerely sorry to have him leave. For Father Buck has not been narrow in his circle of kinliness. From whatever quarter the cry has come, he has been ready to respond with charity for the needy and repentant, sympathy for the afflicted and consolation for the bereaved.

The new pastor has not been appointed as yet.

Gale Grange meeting Saturday, Nov. 4th. All candidates for first and second degrees please be at the I. O. O. F. hall at 11 o'clock. All officers and members are requested to be present at opening of meeting, at 10:30 o'clock. Excellent dinner at noon. At the afternoon meeting C. E. Spence, Master Oregon State Grange, will talk on the subject "Why Every Farmer Should Be a Granger." A cordial invitation is extended to all interested.

## Another Drive for Army Y. M. C. A.

Recognizing the great work through the Army Young Men's Christian Association, the War Department has requested that this work be largely extended both at home and abroad and for this purpose a War Fund of \$35,000,000 will be raised in United States during the week of Nov. 11-18.

A war council of the Oregon War Work Leaders was held in the Portland hotel last Wednesday, which was attended by the following delegates from Forest Grove: W. J. McCready, Prof. R. F. Clarke, Prof. H. L. Bates, Dr. Bishop, Rev. Patton, Rev. R. L. Putnam, Harry Romig and B. J. Simpson. At this council B. J. Simpson, who was General Chairman for the former Army Y. M. C. A. drive and Campaign Manager of the recent Red Cross Campaign, was elected General Chairman for Western Washington county for the new \$35,000,000 Campaign.

A meeting of the local Campaign leaders was held in Forest Grove on Monday evening and the following organization for handling the campaign in Western Washington county was effected:

General Chairman—B. J. Simpson.  
Campaign Manager—Judge W. H. Hollis.  
Chairman Campaign Committee—W. J. McCready.  
Chairman Speakers Section—Rev. R. L. Putnam.  
Publicity Manager—A. E. Scott.

Secretary—Rev. R. E. Dunlap.  
Treasurer—M. R. Johnson.  
Team Captains—T. E. Isaacs, J. M. Barber, W. P. Dyke, E. E. Williams, Dr. C. E. Hawke and Mrs. E. F. Burlingham.

This organization will conduct the campaign in Forest Grove, Cornelius, Dilley, Gaston, Banks, Buxton, Timber, Gales Creek, Hillside, Cherry Grove, Laurelwood, Thatcher, Kansas City and surrounding territory.

C. D. Staley has recently received several letters from his son, Chas. G., who is in France with company E., 18th Railway Engineers, along with Cecil Hughes and Emery LaMont. Charley asks "Dad" to send him his red sweater, as the nights are chilly and sweaters are hard to get. He also asks for Forest Grove papers and says he has arranged to send his father \$15 or \$20 per month of his wages, to be deposited to his credit in one of the local banks. He regrets he cannot tell in his letters what is going on, but promises a good story when he gets home. All the local boys are well.

Will you help make training more interesting for 8000 of the men at Camp Lewis? The Oregon Endeavor Union of Christian is furnishing the Y. M. C. A. No. 1 at American Lake with "homey" accessories, such as phonograph records, curtains and books. You have books, good fiction, adventure, humorous recitation books that are not serving any patriotic or other very good purpose. Put them together, phone Main 722 and we will call for them and forward them to Y. M. C. A. No. 1. Everyone counts. This is your bit. Do it!