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OREGON WEATHER

Weather unsettled, probably rain, southerly winds.

MAN POWER

Germany must count on her boys and old men to maintain her army up to its present quota. While the allies are adding men to the fighting line rapidly, Germany's army is not growing.

The flower of her young manhood. aggregating about 5,750,000 men Since then she has called out about missing. This is a total of 4,791,-000. Since these figures were published there have been many more casualties, probably bringing the to- PROBLEM PLAY TELLS tal up to 5,000,000.

Making allowance for the wounded that have returned to the front and for the calling out of the classes of 1919 and 1920, a total of 700,000. service at the front.

modification of the military rule so stitutions, but instead of directing as to include men up to 47 years of age has squeezed about 150,000 more into service.

While all these facts are known to the allies, no one who is well informed of all the conditions, looks for a break in the Teutonic fighting machine for another year at the earliest. The Russian flasco and the successful invasion of Italy have revived the morale of the German people and, with the feeling that has been instilled in them that they are fighting a defensive war for the preservation of their government and civilization, which has become almost a religion with them, Prussianism can be counted upon to hold its wonderfully efficient machine in fighting trim for at least another year and possibly longer. Her ability to mass huge bodies of trained troops on a single section of one front for a tremendous effort at that place, and then the advantage with the defensive in holding what is once fairly in their possession, is enabling Germany to pas in a front of successful military ability that means many months more of bitter war.

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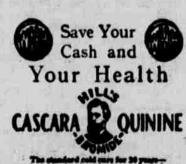
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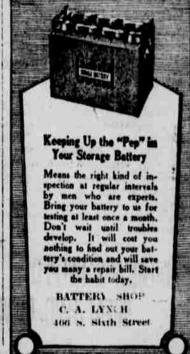
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