

GERMAN RUSH TOWARD PARIS

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the Germans, in a continuation of their mighty stroke, gained several additional villages and then attempted to proceed further westward. magnificent opposition was made by the newly strengthened lines and with terrific smashes the French forces recaptured Long Point, Corey, Favorols, Champliat and Troenes, vantage points in the center of the line leading to the forest of Villers Coterets, which seems to be the present objective of the enemy. The French also recaptured Monte de Choisy and Hill 163.

The Germans, however, still have in their possession the village of Vauriez, west of Soissons, and further south Saconin-et-Breuil, Chaudun, Lloy and Boursches, the last named directly west of Chateau Thierry. A little to the southwest of Chateau Thierry the enemy has reached the Marne.

Nowhere has there been any attempt by the invaders to cross the river, and at all points east of Chateau Thierry they are hugging the northern bank of the stream. It is not improbable, however, that the tactics of the Germans have in view the fording of the river when the time is more propitious for in the center of the line between Chateau Thierry and Rheims they have pushed back the allied forces across the river at the Dormans road between Elisy-Volaine and Ville-en-Tardenois and are pressing onward toward the Marne. This is the only point on their left wing, however, where the enemy has been able to make fresh gains.

Having failed in all their efforts to conquer Rheims by direct assault, it now seems to be the intention of the Germans further to widen their occupation of the territory lying south of the Rheims-Dormans road and thereby outflank the cathedral city and bring about its capitulation. Taken all in all, the seventh day of the new battle found the allies line from Soissons to Rheims, although it had been bent back at various points, not so hard-pressed as on previous days and seemingly more capable of resisting the enemy's onslaught.

LICENSE FEE NOTICE

Proprietors of billiard parlors, restaurants, dining rooms, ice cream parlors, soft drink parlors, soda fountains and picture shows, please take notice.

All license fees for the third quarter are due June 1st at the office of the undersigned in the city hall.

H. H. ALLYN, City Auditor.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Herbert Tetherow left Sunday night for Tacoma. Mrs. H. E. Gale and little daughter "Patsy" left this morning to visit the Gale boys.

Clifford Jewell left this morning for Portland, where he will spend the summer working.

Mrs. C. A. Winetroul left this morning for Corvallis for a visit and will also visit her parents at Astoria.

Mrs. W. E. McBride left Saturday night for San Francisco to be with her son, Marve, who is ill with the measles.

Mrs. B. F. Banks went to Weed, Cal., today to visit her daughter. She was accompanied by her two granddaughters.

Miss Minnie Ireland and Mrs. H. C. Perkins went to the Oregon Bell mine yesterday, where they expect to spend the summer.

Mrs. Harry Cook and son, Jack, returned to their home in Roseburg last night after spending the week in Grants Pass visiting relatives.

Chester A. Smith, Galice merchant was in the city today on business. Mr. Smith states that there are at present two crews of government surveyors working on the O. & C. grant lands, and they report that three more crews will be at work soon.

CLEVER TRIO PLAYING AT THE JOY THEATRE

The Carr trio played to a capacity house last night at the Joy theatre and gave entire satisfaction to the big crowd. The act consisted of singing and dancing specialties. Miss Carr wore some really stunning gowns and captured her audience by her clever toe dancing. The show was full of "pep" from start to finish and several people in the audience said they had seen this same attraction only a few weeks ago. By popular request the management is holding them over tonight and tomorrow night. The program tonight will be the same as last night. On Tuesday they will give an entire change. New and different songs, dances, comedy and costumes. Miss Carr will present the hula hula dance just as she learned it in the Hawaiian Islands. The whole show is a sure enough attraction and will certainly please.

Our classified ads bring results.

Carriers Wanted—The Courier is in need of a carrier boy or girl. Also a janitor, Apply at once.

Ranch Changes Hands—A. T. Martin sold his ranch near Hugo last week to R. J. Ruttie, of Chicago. Mr. Ruttie will make his home here as soon as he closes his business interests in Chicago.

The Wardrobe Cleaners—Cleaning, pressing, repairing. We call for and deliver. We have all the modern equipment necessary to do first class work. Phone 147, 315 North Sixth street. 79

Honor Guard to Meet—The Honor Guard will hold a meeting tomorrow night in its rooms in the Claus Schmidt building at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as important business will come before the club.

Arm Broken—T. J. Flippen an employe at the River Banks farm had both bones of his right arm broken near his elbow this afternoon. Young Flippen was pumping water with a traction engine and while applying dressing to the belt his hand was caught and drawn over a pulley.

More Enlistments—Lloyd T. Smith and Alfred M. McCallister of the Illinois valley enlisted in the heavy field artillery and left Sunday night for Vancouver. Alexander Resso, whose home is in New York, enlisted in the medical corps and left at the same time.

Motorcycle Accident—On Saturday night a young man whose home is in Rogue River, returning from his work at Swede Basin ran into a Ford truck near the Applegate bridge. The motorcycle was badly damaged and the Ford radiator wrecked but the young man was uninjured.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of our beloved mother and grandmother. W. A. TREFREN and FAMILY. MR and MRS. A. D. HOUCK and FAMILY. MR. and MRS. G. M. THRASHER and FAMILY. MR and MRS. EVERETT TREFREN. MRS. WALTER ZIEDLER. JAMES TREFREN.

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TUESDAY CARR FAMILY in complete change of program Edna Goodrich in "Queen X"

COUNTY HAS 3 MORE STANDARD SCHOOLS

Three more Josephine county schools are recognized as standard schools, as is indicated by the following letter received by Mrs. Alice Bacon, county superintendent of schools.

Mrs. Alice Bacon, Grants Pass, Ore. You are hereby notified that the following high schools of your county have met all the requirements prescribed by the state board of education, for standard schools:

- Hugo, district No. 22. Merlin, district No. 24. Kerby, district No. 23.

Yours truly, JAMES WITTHYCOMBE, Gov. BEN W. OLCOTT, Secretary. J. A. CHURCHILL, Supt. of Schools.

COMING EVENTS

June 8, Saturday—Barn dance by Sams Valley Red Cross. 80

BORN

FUJII—To Mr. and Mrs. Chioji Fujii 707 Eighth street, Sunday, June 2, a daughter.

RIVER BANKS MANAGER GIVES

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selves the additional feed required to furnish the necessary heat units to offset the cold before the cows can produce milk and you will see what a tremendous handicap Wisconsin has to work under.

"Well are her farmers better educated? Have they had better advantages in the way of agricultural colleges and county agent system? Again I say no. Taking the agricultural institutions of the United States today in the order of their efficiency and we find that Kansas is ranked as first, Cornell second, Oregon third, with Wisconsin in about fifth place.

"Perhaps the dairymen of Wisconsin had better markets for their butter fat. No! They went through the same experience the northwest is going through today. The big city creameries went out into the country districts and where there was a country creamery they bid up on the price of butter fat until they had driven the small creamery to the wall and then went down with the price and then the farmer was stung.

"That is exactly what is going on in the whole northwest today. One Portland creamery last winter was paying 57 cents for butter fat in Grants Pass, and in southern Idaho, where they had no competition, they were paying 48 cents.

"Finally when all these farmers in Wisconsin had been hanged separ-

ately they got together and secured and advice of our splendid agricultural college, and with the natural push and pep and initiative of the spirit of the west a dairy industry can be built up in this state and in this county which will back old Vergeth, but after it was once done they began at once to succeed. That is why Wisconsin stands first in leading dairy state of the Union. Now what has been accomplished in Wisconsin can be done elsewhere. Now that the farmers of this district are learning the lesson of hanging together, why not a foundation institution, with the county agricultural agent in charge, organizing, with the energy with which this Chamber of Agriculture can give, with the help of the natural advantages of the state, and

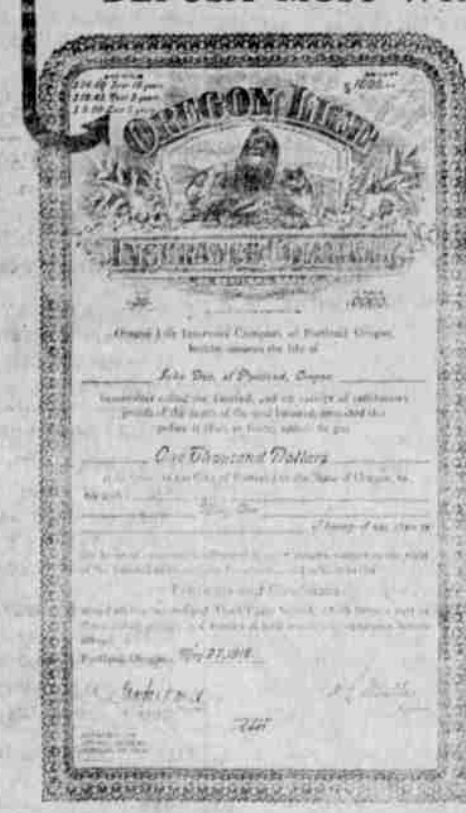
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