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OREGON WEATHER

Fair; light frost southwest portion; heavy frost east portion; Sunday generally fair, light southerly winds.

AMERICAN AIRCRAFT MAKE GOOD

American airplanes are at last arriving in numbers in France, they stand severe tests and the great raid of a few days ago implies that they are already doing deadly execution among the Huns, says the Oregonian. A captain in the air service who recently returned from the front is quoted by General Kenly as saying that the first De Havilland four-bombing planes with Liberty motor arriving at the assembling station in France on May 13 and needed some changes, but that each succeeding shipment evidenced better care, and when he left on August 20 they were very satisfactory. Their performance was very good, and plane and motor had become popular with pilots. They were arriving at the rate of 15 to 18 a day. The French government would gladly take every Liberty motor we could not use ourselves.

Successful tests have also been made in this country with American-built Caproni biplanes, equipped with Liberty motors. On the first test one of these machines more than met expectations of allied army officers, though a stiff wind was blowing. In the second test the same machine carried 12 civilian passengers weighing more than a ton. It reached a maximum height of 8,885 feet and a minimum of 600 feet, thus breaking both high and low altitude records for planes carrying 2,205 pounds live weight, and attained a speed of 105 miles an hour. Lieutenant Parvis, an Italian ace, who was one of the pilots is quoted as saying of the Liberty motor:

"There is nothing like it. I have flown fourteen hours with a Liberty motor and have not had the slightest trouble. I have always had trouble with other motors, some times serious trouble, after flying ten hours."

So at last we are getting results from the painful struggle to produce aircraft, now that the automobile manufacturers are confining their attention to making motors and are leaving airplane manufacturers to build planes. Before spring many German cities will make acquaintance with American airplanes, and will cover and cringe before a dose of the medicine they have given to London and Paris, the wounded and their nurses.

CHILD LABOR IN AUSTRIA

According to an Austrian newspaper, a parliamentary committee is investigating conditions surrounding child labor in that country. So serious

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QUALITY FIRST

ious has this problem become that new legislation is imperatively necessary and will probably be enacted to prevent the employment of children under 12 years of age in any labor except farm and household tasks.

Some of the statistics given furnish a striking illustration of the danger of letting down the bars in this matter of protecting children.

It is said that more than one-third of all the children of school age are working. Eighteen out of 100 between the ages of six and eight years are working; 35 out of 100 between nine and ten; 50 out of 100 between 11 and 12; 52 out of 100 between 12 and 13. Two-fifths of these children have been working since they were five or six years old. Ninety-five out of 100 work during the school year as well as through the holidays. Many of them work 52 weeks a year.

THE DELIVERER

The account of General Allenby's entrance into Jerusalem is important for many reasons, not the least of which is its association with an old Arab prophecy.

It is said that Allenby entered the Holy City "Modestly, on foot, as a Christian approaching the shrine of his faith."

The prophecy runs like this: "He that shall deliver Jerusalem will enter on foot, and his name will be Alah-Nabi."

The resemblance between event and prophecy, even to the detail of names, is marked.

DRUMSTICKS

When the allied warships entered the harbor of Beirut, the chief sea port of Syria, they found the town evacuated. The Turks had fled. Which reminds us of a little poem:

"What dost thou think of drumsticks?" I asked the barnyard bird, And as he slowly strutted by, He answered with this word—"They're good to eat, and good to beat."

But sure as I am living, They're best to run away on. The week before Thanksgiving. Nevertheless and notwithstanding, Turkey will be served at that allied Thanksgiving dinner, along with Hunnish pork and Bulgarian bully beef.

STATE POLICEMEN GIVE A SWELL BOOZE PARTY

A raid made by Chief of Police Timothy and Night Policeman Adams, on a room in a rooming house at midnight Friday night broke up a drinking party and resulted in the arrest of State Policeman Charles Smithers, 29 years old, and an individual giving his name as Brown, of Josephine county, and two young women, says the Medford Tribune. The room raided was that of Sergt. C. C. Triplett of the state police who was in Portland at the time, but who was arrested on his return from that city Friday night, as Chief Timothy claims that for some time he has been making his room the headquarters for social drinking parties.

Triplett's home is in Springfield, and Smithers is a resident of Salem. These two officers have been stationed in the Siskiyou for several months for the special purpose of catching professional bootleggers smuggling whiskey into Oregon from California.

In view of Friday night's raid and

developments it is claimed are coming, it is not hard to understand why liquor in wholesale quantities has gotten by these officers the past few weeks. The smugglers in nearly every instance were later caught near Roseburg by Deputy Sheriff Hopkins of Douglas county. Hundreds of quarts of whiskey have been confiscated in Douglas county and about \$2,000 in fines imposed at Roseburg in the past two weeks from the several wholesale auto smugglers apprehended.

Chief Timothy had been watching Triplett's room for a week or more. He says that last Tuesday night the same two young women, and Triplett and Smithers were in the room drinking. Feeling sure of his ground, the chief obtained a search warrant on Thursday afternoon and at midnight made the raid. Triplett was absent at Portland, for which city he left Wednesday with Deputy United States Marshal Tichenor to take some bootleg prisoners to the state metropolis.

Following the raid County Prosecutor Roberts was summoned from home and the prisoners were taken to his office where they were closely of the party talked freely and made, questioned. Smithers and all others it is claimed, a complete confession, implicating Triplett. The charge against Smithers is that of maintaining a public nuisance. Brown, whose first visit it was to the room, put up cash bail of \$20, and was allowed to go. The women are held as witnesses. A warrant charging Triplett with maintaining a nuisance by giving away intoxicating liquors in his room has been sworn out.

The state authorities have been notified of the charges against Trip-

lett and Smithers, and their immediate discharge from the state police force is expected. It is claimed that the chief of police of Ashland has also some interesting evidence relative to the conduct of Triplett and Smithers in Ashland State Policeman Ireland, whose home is in Grants Pass and whose headquarters are in that city, is not implicated in any way with Smithers and Triplett.

Warm Though Far North.

It is difficult to realize, but it is none the less true, that the Murman coast of Russia is as far north as King William Land, where Sir John Franklin and his men abandoned the Erebus and the Terror. But the Gulf stream makes all the climatic difference. For that reason it is possible for Quebec to be much further south than London, and New York to be on the parallels of latitude of Spain and yet have winters of great severity.—Christian Science Monitor.

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World news is all right, but OUR BOYS want NEWS OF THIS TOWN. They want the home newspaper. Publishers are prevented from sending their papers free to anyone, even boys in the service. Consequently a national movement has been started by Col. William Boyce Thompson of New York, who is acting as President of the Home Paper Service of America to give the boys what they are calling for. Every community is joining the movement. Let us see that our boys are not forgotten.

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Remember that over in France, some brave soldier or sailor from this town—perhaps even some splendid woman working within sound of the guns—is depending on you to "KEEP THE HOME LOVE KINDLED."

They are calling to YOU from "Over There" GIVE WHAT YOU CAN

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