

News of the World in Brief

With war on the European battlefields apparently at a deadlock, and America's entrance into the world strife greatly strengthened by the passing of the food control bill and the appointment of Herbert Hoover for food dictator, interest in world affairs centers in the endeavors being made by Germany to secure peace before the full might of America's resources can be brought to bear against her. Fresh troops from the United States have arrived in London, a division of 19,000 picked National Guardsmen will soon be on its way. Future detachments of Americans crossing the water will go to the Russian and Italian fronts, it is announced.

Germany's desire for peace is shown by the statement of one of the Teutonic papers that Trieste and Alsace-Lorraine should be sacrificed if it will insure a permanent cessation of hostilities. Another German paper points out that the refusal of the Allies and the United States to allow representatives at the Stockholm Socialist conference, indicates the contemplated annihilation of the Germanic Empire. The Pope has renewed proposals for peace.

Signalling the early commencement of the officers' training camp is the conclusion of the first camp, 26,000 men securing commissions yesterday. Fourteen thousand were turned down but will be given a chance as non-commissioned officers.

An added incentive to recruiting is the introduction of the war compensation, indemnity, and insurance bill in both houses of Congress. Its passage will provide a substitute for the pension system.

Labor War Obstacle.
Labor troubles are increasing throughout the country, and have resulted in the appointment of a federal mediation board, which hopes to remove these obstacles to the successful carrying on of the war during the early part of September.

German anti-draft propaganda circulated to induce Americans to avoid military service, and Teutonic plots for the smuggling of war materials from this country to Germany, featured the underground activities of German secret agents during the week. To provide better shipping facilities, the federal shipping board has announced the impending requisition of dock space.

China Is Belligerent.
A second Liberty Bond campaign will be started in the fall to raise \$5,000,000,000 more for war expenses. Nine billions more than have already been provided for will be necessary to pay the expenses of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, administration leaders announce.

China's declaration of war against the Teutonic powers, and the prediction of important military moves in the Balkans, are added influences brought to bear on the world war.

TWO ARE HURT IN AUTO WRECK

MRS. RAY CANTERBURY AND MONTH-OLD CHILD HURLED FROM CAR IN COLLISION—BOTH OUT OF DANGER TODAY.

(From Monday's Daily.)
Mrs. Ray Canterbury and her month-old baby were thrown from the auto driven by Charles Haines late Saturday night, sustaining bruises which were at first thought to be dangerous. In the case of the child, when the car crashed into a larger machine driven by Floyd Dement. The accident occurred at the intersection of Greenwood and Wall streets, shortly after 10 o'clock. Immediate medical care was secured for Mrs. Canterbury and her child. The baby was reported to be out of danger today.

The collision took place as the Haines car, in which Mr. and Mrs. Canterbury were riding home, rounded the corner from Greenwood to turn south on Wall. Mr. Dement was driving north on Wall, and although both drivers were adhering strictly to traffic regulations, they failed to turn out sufficiently to avoid a smash. As to the machines, Mr. Haines' car sustained the chief damage, its front wheels being literally torn loose. Mr. Haines considers it little short of a miracle that Mrs. Canterbury and her child did not receive more severe injuries.

The corner at which the accident occurred has been the scene of two other similar collisions within the past year, the large amount of motor travel passing at that point being one of the chief causes of danger.

to be well defined. The maximum above which it must not go is determined by the value of the service to the patron, and the minimum below which it should not drop, by the reasonable cost of operating the system.

With this idea in view, the commission finds that a rate of 60 cents per acre foot per year for water delivered by this company is reasonable and just, and is a rate which, with the strictest operating economy consistent with reasonable service, will result in the greatest net revenue possible to be afforded the utility under the present conditions.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, August 10, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that David C. Rogers, of Bend, Oregon, who on August 12, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 010616, for E. 1/4 Sec. 34, T. 19 S., R. 14 E., W. 1/2, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at Bend, Oregon, on the 21st day of September, 1917.
Claimant names as witnesses: Howard P. Dyer, Elmer E. Callison, Abraham Evans, Clifton L. Evans, Daniel W. Becker, all of Millcreek, Oregon.
H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that at 9 o'clock a. m. on the second Monday in September, 1917, being the 10th day thereof, the County Board of Equalization will attend, in the office of the County Assessor in the Bend Company building, in the City of Bend, Oregon, and publicly examine the assessment rolls, and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property assessed by the County Assessor; and it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed.
W. T. MULLARKEY, Assessor of Deschutes County, Oregon.
First publication, August 16;
Second publication, August 23;
Third publication, August 29;
Fourth publication, September 6.

BIDS FOR HOSPITAL SERVICE.
Notice is hereby given that at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, August 23, in room 17 O'Kane building, in Bend, Oregon, the County Court of Deschutes County will receive and consider bids for the furnishing of hospital care of county patients.

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REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 8, 1917. Information on request. Address, Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon.

COUNTIES WILL DIVIDE HOLDINGS

JOINT MEETING OF COURTS OF DESCHUTES AND CROOK COUNTIES WILL BE HELD IN PRINEVILLE TOMORROW.

(From Thursday's Daily.)
After long preparation, the county courts of Deschutes and Crook counties will meet in joint session next week in Prineville, and will attempt to close up all business matters arising out of the separation of the counties' vote last fall, and confirmed by the legislature this spring.

The division of taxes, apportionment of county property, and settlement of other matters of joint ownership will be the chief questions which will be adjusted by the courts. The meeting has been made possible by an experting of county books by Max Crandall, of Portland.

It is believed that a large share of the business confronting the two counties will be disposed of at the one meeting.

H. J. LISTER IS NEW CROOK COMMISSIONER
(From Friday's Daily.)
PRINEVILLE, Aug. 15.—Succeeding J. F. Blanchard, who resigned from the county commissionership

of Crook county to care for business interests in Jefferson county two months ago, H. J. Lister, prominent rancher, has been named to fill Mr. Blanchard's unexpired term. Mr. Lister's ranch is in the Paulina section.

OPENS FEED CANAL.
(From Friday's Daily Bulletin)
TUMALO, Aug. 15.—Fred Wallace and party left yesterday afternoon for the headgate of Crater Creek feed canal, near Broken Top, to turn the water into Tumalo Creek for the season. The late snow has delayed the opening unusually.

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OVERHALL'S RELEASE RESULT OF HEARING

(From Friday's Daily Bulletin)
Fred Overhall, arrested on suspicion in connection with a complaint preferred by Charles Alexander, colored, that his purse had been stolen, was released yesterday after hearing in justice court, no evidence being given to warrant his detention. Amos Neeley, mulatto, who Alexander and Overhall both declare mixed the liquor which they consumed previous to the disappearance of the pocket-book, is still being held by the authorities, pending an investigation based on the liquor end of the case.

It is expected that Neeley will be given a hearing tomorrow on the return of District Attorney De Armond from Prineville.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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