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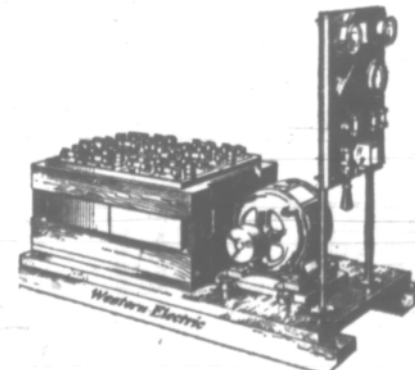
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**Draft Men Reclassified**  
Portland, Or.—A "Class I Week" is to be held sometime in June by every local draft board in Oregon, under instructions received from the war department and communicated to local boards by Captain John E. Cullison, officer in charge of the draft, in the office of the Adjutant General.  
The purpose of "Class I Week" is to correct any errors in classification that may have been made previously. In correcting these errors, many registrants previously placed in lower classification will be transferred to Class I.  
At the same time, the reclassification will work both ways. Where the evidence justifies, local boards will re-open the cases of men wrongfully placed in Class I and place them in lower classifications, as the circumstances warrant.

Government appeal agents and members of legal advisory boards have been directed immediately to make a careful examination of all questionnaires and records in all cases in which they are satisfied that reclassification should be made. Thousands of registrants are now in Class IV, the War Department believes, who should be in Class II or Class I. Appeal agents are instructed to appeal every case where the reclassification is not convincingly correct.

"Local boards, government appeal agents and members of legal advisory boards," Captain Cullison's instructions advise, "are requested to direct special attention to the following classes of cases: Class 2, A and B; Class 3, A, B and C; Class 4, A."  
For the benefit of all these definitions are given: Class II-A: Married man with children or father of motherless children where wife and children are not mainly dependent on him for support; II-B: Married man without children whose wife is capable of supporting herself; III-A: Man with dependent children (not his own) but toward whom he stands in relation of parent; III-B: Man with dependent, aged or infirm parents; III-C: Man with dependent helpless brothers or sisters; IV-A: Man whose wife or children are mainly dependent on his labor for support.

New standards of physical examination are being issued by the Provost Marshal General. These will, it is believed, not merely add to the number of men eligible for military service but will largely increase the roster of those held for limited or special service.

## TOTAL OF AMERICAN CASUALTIES IS 8035

Washington.—Seven hundred and seventy casualties reported among the American expeditionary forces during the past week brought the total since American troops first landed in France nearly a year ago to 8085.  
The second weekly summary issued by the war department shows the total deaths are 3193, while 4547 men have been wounded in action and 346 are missing in action, including all men held prisoners in Germany.

With more than 800,000 soldiers sent overseas, officials pointed to the small number, 291, lost through operations of German submarines as showing the effectiveness of the convoy system.  
The comparatively small number of men dying from wounds is pointed to as indicating the efficiency of the ambulance and hospital systems, while the fact that only 1234 men have died of disease is accepted as proof of the excellent physical condition of America's fighting men.  
Another satisfying consideration is that of the wounded men a very high percentage return to duty at the front in less than six weeks.

**Noted Flyer Falls 2000 Feet.**  
San Antonio, Tex.—Smiling Lieutenant Pat O'Brien, of Moline, Ill., who later served with the British royal flying corps, survived a battle with four German planes, and after being taken prisoner, leaped from a fast moving train, and wandered more than two months through enemy territory before finally reaching Holland and safety, suffered from the second fall of his adventurous career, while flying at Kelly field. Two thousand feet from the ground the plane side-slipped and O'Brien was unable to right it. The machine landed nose downward in soft earth. He climbed out of it dazed and bleeding freely.

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## AUSTRIA LAUNCHES VIOLENT OFFENSIVE

Large Masses of Infantry Used in Attempt to Break the Italian Line.

Rome.—A battle of great violence along the whole front in which large masses of infantry are being used by the Austrians in an attempt to break through the Italian lines, particularly in the eastern sector of the Asiago plateau, in the Brenta valley and on Monte Grappa, is described in the official report from Italian headquarters. The enemy's attacks were met in the advanced defensive area.

Italian troops, in conjunction with their French and British allies, began a counter offensive against the Austro-Hungarian forces, which had launched an attack on the Italian mountain front.

The Italian and allied troops, according to an announcement made by the war office, were able to gain partial successes and to rectify their lines. The statement says the Austrians, disregarding their losses, continued their endeavors to cross the Piave river, but that the Italians are bravely holding their positions.  
More than 4500 Austrians have been made prisoner by the Italians, British and French.

The Italian troops and their allies are holding the enemy strongly, tenaciously resisting him in the new offensive and making repeated counter attacks, said Premier Orlando in a statement to the chamber of deputies.

## AMERICANS DEFEAT GERMAN RAIDERS

With the American Army in France.—About 600 German shock troops raided the American first-line positions at the village of Xivray, in the Toul sector. Some of the enemy got into Xivray, but were soon driven out.

The attack began at 3 o'clock in the morning after an extremely violent bombardment. The Germans advanced swiftly to the attack, but were met by a heavy fire. Those who penetrated Xivray were forced speedily to withdraw and elsewhere the enemy was completely repulsed in hard fighting lasting more than two hours.

According to prisoners, the object of the enemy was to take American prisoners. This failed, as no American is reported missing.  
The American troops engaged at close quarters the small German force that entered Xivray. There was severe fighting with bayonets and clubbed rifles. The Germans left nine dead in the streets and six prisoners were taken, two of them officers, one of whom was wounded.

## ARMY TO REACH 3,000,000

Crowder Explains Military Expansion Plans to Senate Committee.  
Washington.—Three million Americans will be under arms by next August, the senate military committee was told by Provost Marshal-General Crowder.

Extension of the age limits in the army draft will be necessary, General Crowder said, if the present rate of draft calls is continued. He estimated that all the men in class one would be exhausted soon after next January 1.

General Crowder said that 1,347,000 of the 2,428,000 men placed in class one already have been called to the colors. He estimated that some 400,000 additional men for the first class will be secured from the men who registered last June 5 and that another 200,000 will be added by the reclassification of men in the re-examination of the questionnaires now being made.

## O'Leary Captured Near Portland.

Portland, Or.—Charged with being a spy, an Anglophile and a rabid pro-German agitator, Jeremiah O'Leary, a New York lawyer, was picked up on a little farm near Sara, Wash., about 27 miles north of Portland, as a fugitive from justice. Secret service men, with the aid of farmers and local authorities, made the arrest. O'Leary is best known as the president of the American Truth society, an organization which is supposed to have been financed by Germany to prevent the entrance of the United States into the war.

**Wilson Honored by French.**  
Paris.—President Wilson, ex-Premier Salandra, of Italy, and Cardinal Merlier, primate of Belgium, were unanimously elected to the French Academy of Moral and Political Sciences.

**Senate Refuses to Curtail Debate.**  
Washington.—The senate refused to limit its debate during the war. After receiving confirmation that the president had not urged its adoption, the senate voted down, 41 to 34, a rule to cut short senators' speeches.

## GENERAL BRIDGES



Gen. G. T. M. Bridges, of the British army, head of all British war missions in this country.

## GRAFT RAIDS MADE IN MANY CITIES

Washington.—A nation-wide conspiracy between manufacturers and contractors' agents in Washington to solicit government war orders under an agreement to pay commissions illegally to the agents was disclosed by the department of justice.

Simultaneously with the announcement, raids were made on hundreds of manufacturers' business offices throughout the United States in search of papers showing the scope of the illegal practice.

Officials said the manufacturers were led to enter into the agreements by assurances of the agents that they had special influence with army officers or others in charge of letting contracts, and under threat to use that influence against the manufacturers.

Eleven offices in Washington were raided and a great mass of papers of contract agents was carried away.  
Other cities in which raids were made include New York, Boston, Chicago, Brooklyn, San Francisco, Jersey city, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo, Columbus, O.; Detroit, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, Providence, Buffalo and Danbury, Conn.

## BIG SAWMILL TO BE BUILT

Cutting Capacity Will Be a Million Feet Daily.

Portland, Or.—A sawmill with a capacity of 1,000,000 feet a day, and in other respects equipped to make it the largest mill on the Pacific coast, and probably second largest in the country, has been designed in Portland, for the United States government, as part of its spruce production programme. The mill will be erected on the Olympic peninsula on the shore of Lake Pleasant, near Beaver, in Clallam county, Wash., and about 50 miles west of Port Angeles.

## U. S. Seizes All Busch Breweries.

Washington.—The entire estate in this country of Mrs. Lily Busch, widow of Adolphus Busch, late millionaire brewer, of St. Louis, has been taken over by the government under the alien property law. The property consists largely of breweries in St. Louis and other cities. This fact became known in connection with the return to America of Mrs. Busch, who has been living in Germany for several years, practically since the death of her husband.

## 1,000,000 Austrians in Battle.

Paris.—Ninety-two Austrian divisions, consisting of 80 divisions of infantry and 12 of cavalry have been hurled into the greatest battle that Italy has yet fought, according to an official announcement at Rome, received here. The forces engaged comprise three-fourths of the whole Austrian army and the choicest troops under the command of Field Marshal Boroevic.

## THE MARKETS

Portland.  
Oats—No. 2 white feed, \$59.50 ton.  
Corn—Whole, \$73; cracked, \$74.  
Hay—Timothy, \$33 per ton; alfalfa, \$24.50.  
Butter—Creamery, 41c per lb.  
Eggs—Ranch, 38c per dozen.  
Potatoes—\$1@1.50 per hundred.  
Poultry—Hens, 23@24c; broilers, 26@30c; roosters, 16@17c.

Seattle.  
Butter—Creamery, 43c per lb.  
Eggs—Ranch, 45¢ per dozen.  
Poultry—Hens, heavy, dressed, 35c; light, 33c; broilers, 42c; roosters, dressed, 28c; ducks, live, 30c; dressed, 34c; geese, live, 27c; dressed, 35c.

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### FORD TO RUN FOR SENATE

Noted Manufacturer Indorsed by Michigan Democrats.  
Washington.—An announcement by Henry Ford that, having been urged to do so by President Wilson, he would accept the democratic nomination for senator from Michigan was made public here.  
Detroit.—Henry Ford, a republican, was indorsed for the nomination for United States senator by the democrats of Michigan in conference at Lansing.  
Resolutions adopted by the conference invited the republican state central committee to urge other candidates for the nomination to withdraw and unite with the democrats in supporting Mr. Ford for the office.

Germany invaded by Bolsheviks.  
London.—German soldiers returning from Russia are imbued with Bolshevik ideas and are everywhere circulating revolutionary pamphlets. General von Risberg said in the German reichstag, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. For this reason, he said, strict discipline was necessary in the army.

U. S. Labor Corps Formed in France.  
Paris.—The United States army labor corps has been organized to relieve able-bodied men engaged in work behind the lines, and make them available for front-line service. The corps numbers 30,000 persons and is composed of Italians, Portuguese, Chinese and Africans.

Season tickets for the Chautauqua are now on sale at the two banks in Wasco, the two banks in Moro, the bank at Grass Valley, and the two stores at Kent. All who have subscribed for tickets can get them at these places and should be secured at once. It is well to remember that as soon as the first 450 tickets are taken the price advances, without regard to the date of opening.  
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