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Rome, July 6.—Today's official report indicated that Italy is resuming her offensive. The advance lines were pushed forward and enemy outposts around Selo captured.

Gain Temporary Advantage

Saloniki, July 6.—By a sudden offensive the Teutons on the Macedonian front succeeded in gaining a brief, temporary footing in the British trenches west of Dolzeli, it is announced. The enemy was immediately driven from their positions.

Hollweg Will Speak

Berlin, July 6.—Hollweg will probably address the Reichstag Saturday or Monday, it is announced.

Germans Defeated

London, July 6.—The British stopped the attempted German raids at Bullecourt.

ARMY Y. M. C. A. IS ERECTING NEW BUILDINGS

According to A. C. Schmitt who returned last night from a meeting of the executive committee of the Army Y. M. C. A., held at Portland, plans are now being drawn for six buildings which will be erected by the organization at American Lake. One is now being erected at Vancouver.

Oregon and Idaho raised \$65,000 for the army Y. M. C. A., thus exceeding the quota by \$5,000. The sum of four million was raised in the nation, a million more than was asked by the national organization.

ATTENTION MACCABEES

Special meeting is hereby called for all members to meet at our hall Sunday, July 8, at 1 o'clock, p. m., to arrange for attending and conducting the funeral of our late brother, Sir Knight Chas. Curran.

W. A. COX,
Commander

NEW CLASSIFIED

DOG OWNERS—Attention! State dog license is now due and payable. Owners can pay same by calling at the public market at 3rd and Ferry streets. E. J. Knapp, Constable. J-6-8

WANTED—Glr. Hfr waitress. Must have experience. Also man for dishwasher. Home Restaurant. J-6-9

FOR SALE—Large ripe currants, \$1.50 crate, 24 boxes; gooseberries, 20 gallons. Order early. Crop is light. E. G. Goff, Home phone 7354. J-6-9

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good confectionery store in a substantial southern Oregon town, clean, up-to-date, doing a good business, \$1500. What have you? Address R. 12, care this paper. J-6-12

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—House and lot in city on paved street. What have you to trade? Call Bell Phone 593-Y. J-3-6-SwJ-6

FOR SALE—Good Sewing machine. Home phone L-544. J-6-9

WANTED—Wood Choppers. Inquire 415 W. First street. Both phones, W. H. Howard. J-6-8

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, gentle, for small children. Four years old. At a bargain. Inquire at Independent Meat Market First and Lyons streets. J-6-8

ADVERTISING MAKES ROUND-UP A SUCCESS

Comparison of Albany's With Philomath's and Ashland's Shows Results

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pruitt of Pendleton, arrived in the city this morning in their car en route from Ashland, where they were during the Round-Up in that city, to their home. Mr. Pruitt is a member of the board of directors of the Pendleton Round-Up, and has been in the western part of the state since the Philomath Round-Up keeping in touch with the situation in all places.

"It is decidedly gratifying," said Mr. Pruitt this morning, "to see what a success Albany made of her Round-Up, and it gives us encouragement for our show this fall. This is the first encouraging report that we have had this year, and we were beginning to feel a little discouragement over the size of our crowds next September. Philomath fell down terribly this year, their paid attendance being 60 per cent under their last year's show, and Ashland's receipts this year, July 3 to 5th, were below what they were last year.

"I find here that Albany's paid admissions this year were more than 33 per cent greater than they were last year, and that several thousand persons were turned away from the gates who sought admissions. This means, probably, that had you adequate seating capacity your crowd for the three days would have more than gone 100 per cent over last year's mark.

"We are glad to know that you had such a fine show here, and hope to see a good representation of your people at our annual Round-Up September 20 to 22. We will not only have a large attendance of Oregon people, but the tourist attendance from the East also promises to be larger this year than ever.

You can lay your large attendance this year to your advertising," added Mr. Pruitt. There was never better concrete examples of the power of the press than has been demonstrated the past month. The Albany Round-Up was thoroughly advertised in over 50 newspapers stretching from Roseburg to Astoria. Paid advertisements were carried in nearly every paper published between those cities, and practically all of these papers were generous in their use of news stories about the Albany Round-Up.

TWO DAYS FOOD RATIONS CARRIED BY MARINES

Washington, July 7.—Not the least important part of a fighting men's equipment to be used by the United States Marines on the firing line, is the emergency ration. It will enable the sea-fighter to stick to his guns and keep up his physical strength when cut off from the base of supplies by the enemy barrage or other causes.

Every Marine on expeditionary duty is supplied with a half-pound tin case containing a two-days' supply of food, consisting of chocolate and a condensed meat and vegetable compound that may be made into soup, or eaten raw if there is no opportunity to prepare it.

LOCAL TRAINING CAMP COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY

Meeting at the Hotel Albany this noon, members of the local committee of the Military Training Camps Association of the United States decided to open headquarters at room 204 First National Bank Building and applicants for commissions in the training camps are invited to make their applications at that place between the hours of 3 and 4 until July 15th.

The members of the local committee are A. C. Schmitt, P. A. Young, E. D. Cusick and Elmer Williamson.

Publicity Man Here

Ray Andrews, publicity manager of the Ellison-White Chautauquas, arrived in the city this morning and proceeded to make things hum for the big Chautauqua which will be held July 12 to 18.

LEAK CHARGED TO GERMAN FIRMS

Enemy Insurance Companies Responsible for News Reaching the Central Powers

DRAFT PREPARATIONS ARE ALMOST COMPLETE

Crowder Says that Men Must Watch Names Posted by Government

Washington, July 6.—German insurance companies and other German interests in the United States are responsible for a large part of the news leakage into Germany, according to Secretary of Commerce Redfield.

Washington, July 6.—The last preliminary to the draft began today. The day after the last precinct sends in its numbered registration cards, the actual drawing will be made.

General Crowder said that false reports of draft numbers have been circulated. Crowder emphasized that every registered man in the nation must make it his business to find his key number, when the numbers are announced.

The task is placed squarely upon the registered men.

He has instructed the men to watch the posted list numbers carefully and find their own number. Newspapers are also requested to print names of numbers whenever possible.

CITY NEWS

Taking Vacation

H. Torbett and Clyde Williamson of the First National Bank are off on their vacation. Mr. Torbett is visiting with relatives at Coos Bay.

A Correction

T. W. Gerber, Western Business Representative of the United Press, authorizes the Democrat to make a correction in a dispatch which was sent out from the Portland representative of the United Press on June 29th. It was stated that the President proposed the elimination of beer and wine from the provisions of the food control bill because the restrictions were contrary to his ideas in regard to personal liberty. Such a statement was not included in the leased wire report received by the United Press. The President opposes too drastic action at this time because it threatened to defeat the purpose of the food control bill.

Left for Newport

The Misses Janet Dawson, Ruth Livingood and Lucille Snyder, accompanied by Stowell Snyder, left this noon for Newport where they will spend the summer.

Home on Furlough

Ralph and Russell Planalp, two Albany boys who enlisted in the United States Navy, are in the city on a 72-hour leave of absence. They came to Portland from Bremerton to take part in the 4th of July celebration and came on up from there to visit their parents.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dawson returned to their home at Springfield last night after a visit at the home of Mrs. Dawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hughes.

Leave for Portland

F. K. Churchill and wife and Dick Churchill left this morning for Portland where they will spend a day or two.

COUNCIL HOLDS A SHORT SESSION LAST NIGHT

The city council met last night at the Recorder's office for the purpose of discussing the proposed municipal water plant.

The resolution was referred to the city attorney with instructions to make some modifications and report at the next regular meeting.

AMERICAN SUBMARINE LOSSES ARE HEAVY

First Six Months of Year Nineteen Seventeen Greater Than Previous Year

Washington, July 6.—American losses due to submarines during the first six months of 1917, amounted to 11 times the total losses of the previous years, Dr. William Delano, chief of the United States War Risk Insurance bureau, told the United Press.

Since the first of this year the bureau insured \$441,761,000 of cargoes, with a loss of \$2,200,000.

CANADIAN HOUSE PASSES 2ND READING OF DRAFT BILL

Ottawa, July 6.—At daybreak the House of Commons passed to the second reading of the conscription bill and received the assurance of Premier Borden that it would be enforced. The majority was sixty-three.

The bill is now advanced to the third reading where the anti-conscriptionists may still delay the passage unless closure is introduced. The Senate is expected to pass the bill.

TWO GERMAN SPIES ARRESTED IN NEW YORK

Trusted Agents of Von Papen to Be Interned for Rest of the War

New York, July 6.—Federal agents arrested Carl Heynen, a trusted agent of Captain Von Papen, F. A. Burgermeister, paymaster of a German spy organization in the United States. They will intern the two for the remainder of the war. Haynen is considered one of the ablest German organizers and is an authority on Mexican affairs.

Mrs. J. C. Cady returned to her home in Mill City this morning after having spent the Round-Up week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Earl.

ROUND-UP COMMENTS BY THE VALLEY PRESS

The press of the valley has been complimentary in their remarks on the Albany Round-Up, all seeming to be well pleased with the entertainment given them.

Many editors and their families were in the crowd on the 4th, but few came to the press seats. The management had seats roped off for the press until nearly 1:30 o'clock, when it was impossible to keep the crowd away from them longer.

Here is what some of them say: Beautiful weather, big crowds and a fine exhibition marked the Western Oregon Round-Up and Fourth of July celebration at Albany this week. Many Halsey people attended the show and so far as we have heard, are glad they did so.

If the success of the enterprise may be attributed to one man more than to another this paper is disposed to award Ralph Cronise, the untiring publicity manager, that distinction. He was the right man in the right place.—Halvey Enterprise.

Wednesday, July 4, was the last day of the Western Oregon Round-Up and it closed in a blaze of glory. The show was all that had been claimed for it everybody enjoying the events that were staged. Wednesday was Patriotic day and a street parade and celebration occupied the morning with the round-up featuring the afternoon. The largest crowd Albany ever entertained was her guest that day. If every town within a radius of 25 to 30 miles of Albany turned out as well in comparison to their population as Stayton did the Round-Up management and business men of Albany certainly owe them a debt of gratitude at least, for Stayton was well represented on all three days and especially on Wednesday.—Stayton Mail.

GERMAN SUB SEEN OFF FT. MONROE

Two Ships Sight Periscope Last Night and Give Warning

U. S. NAVY SEARCHING WATERS FOR INTRUDER

Germany Known to be Building U Boats With Larger Cruising Capacity

Washington, July 6.—An American navy vessel sighted what apparently was the periscope of a submarine near Hampton Roads and reported the discovery to the navy department.

Secretary Daniels ordered an immediate and thorough search. Naval vessels are hunting for the submarine now.

The department intimated that if the object seen was a periscope it was not a part of an American submarine. An official report followed the press reports last night that two incoming ships had sighted a periscope five miles off Fortress Monroe.

It is known that the Germans are turning out larger submarines than ever before with greater cruising radius.

CHAOS IN CHINA BY CLASHING FACTIONS

Tokio, July 6.—Chaos is ahead in China.

Today's dispatches revealed the makeshift monarchy tottering on the throne. President Li escaped his pursuers. Southern provinces are planning secession. An armed clash is impending between two factions of the monarchist ranks.

CITY NEWS

Returned to Portland

Dr. A. O. Schmitt and Attorney L. E. Schmitt who have been visiting at the home of their brother, A. C. Schmitt, returned this morning to Portland. They caught a big string of sunfish yesterday.

Returns from Newport

Mrs. Bessie Simpson has returned from an outing at Newport.

Married 42 Years

Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Al Saylor will celebrate the 42nd anniversary of their wedding. They were married at Waterloo July 7, 1875. Mrs. Saylor's brother, Charles Carns, Mrs. Carns and daughter, Myrtle, of Wren, are here to help celebrate the occasion.

Attends Red Cross Rally

Miss Gordan Canfield returned this morning from Lyons, where she attended a Red Cross Rally, and explained the purpose of the Red Cross. An auxiliary was organized at Lyons sometime ago with 38 members and after the speaking last night nineteen new members joined.

Albany Men Enlist

J. E. Adams, machinist in charge of the naval recruiting station here, was in Albany the Fourth and secured three recruits. The young fellows who decided to cast their lot with the navy were Edson Glidden, age 20; Daniel C. Miles, age 21; and C. J. Rider, age 22. The first two enter the hospital corps and the third goes in as a fireman. After spending the day in Albany, Machinist Adams went to Portland, returning early this morning. Friday he will go to Woodburn on a recruiting expedition.

On A Business Trip

John Bassett and son, Leon, left this morning for Martin county, Minnesota, on a business trip and will also visit relatives. They expect to be gone about a month.

Visiting Son

A. S. Hart left this morning for Poplar, Mont., to visit his son, Scott, and for a summer vacation.

C.A. CURRAN, VETERAN REAL ESTATE MAN IS DEAD

Pioneer Resident Passed Away at Sixth Street Home Early this Morning

Charles A. Curran, pioneer real estate dealer, died this morning at his home, 606 West 5th street, at the age of 68 years. He was taken ill six weeks ago and failed rapidly.

Mr. Curran was born in Calas, Me., April 8, 1849. He came to Oregon in 1878 as an agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., and went into business here with J. H. Mullen. In 1885 he entered the real estate business with D. B. Monteth and the firm of Curran and Monteth remained in business for 17 years until 1902. During the past few years he has been in the real estate business, but not being very active.

In 1887 he was married to Emma Blatchford of Guelph, Canada, and their two children, Chas. H. Curran and Mrs. Howard Reeves reside in this city.

The funeral will be held Sunday from the family home at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. W. P. White will conduct the funeral and J. S. Van Winkle will deliver the eulogy. The Maccabees, in which lodge he was a charter member, will have charge of the services at the grave.

SAGE ROOSTER ENJOYS BANDON'S FINE BEACH

Editor Democrat:

Bandon has the finest beach I believe that you could find on the North Pacific coast. At low tide you can walk, or drive an auto down the beach between ten and fifteen miles. Keeping near the breakers where the sand is solid and as smooth as a paved street. The scene all the way down is one of beauty and grandeur. You can travel around and between the many large and towering rocks that line the beach, between the breakers and the bluffs along the shore. These rocks are all surrounded by water at high tide, and to watch the waves as they break upon those mighty stones of towering height, is a sight worth one's time to visit. When possible to do so. The writer on Thursday took a hike 41-2 miles on this wonderful beach and only wished he could have gone farther, but for fear of overtaxing his strength, looked longingly ahead, before facing about and retracing his steps before the incoming tide reached the bluffs and shut off his retreat.

The tide did beat me at one point where I had to climb the bluff, where I met a man, hoeing Uncle Sam's potatoes. I asked him if there were many agates found upon this beach. He said quite a few were picked up. That he had two gunny sacks full, all sizes and colors. But a person in order to find agates has to look for them in the winter, when the sea is rough, or just after a big storm, then they are thrown upon the beach, and they are covered up with sand. I also run onto a miner who was washing out platinum, at the mouth of a little creek. He showed me some of the metal he had in a small bottle, and said it was worth \$150 an ounce. I don't know whether it was worth \$1.50 an ounce or not. But being alone with him I didn't even look like I doubted him. A man once told me to be careful with strangers, that he called a man a hard name once and that he always regretted it. The man just wiped up the earth with him. The steamers Acme and Elizabeth crossed in this morning, Thursday, from Frisco, and discharged their cargo of freight and are now loading lumber at the mills.

The woolen mills has received a shipment of supplies from the East via the Panama Canal, and will start up their mill the first of the month. I took a hike over Bandon Heights last Wednesday and found a part of the old skid road, that I helped to build 40 years ago, and had a pass given me by the company for a round-trip a day behind the high-powered bull team of 3 yoke, and where in the early mornings of 40 years ago I saw the deer and elk crossing this road. Also I saw the black bear licking the tallow off the skids where the writer had placed it the day before to make

BILL PROVIDES FOR AIR FLEET

Two or Three Thousand Machines Will Be Built and Operated by Government

BIG AVIATION GROUNDS WILL BE PURCHASED

Separate Bill Will Provide Money for Gigantic Fleet of Air Fighters

Washington, July 6.—Chairman Dent, of the House Military Committee, introduced the Administration bill authorizing the establishment of a gigantic aerial corps. The hearings begin on Monday. Dent expects to be able to report the bill next week.

The bill authorizes the president to purchase, manufacture, maintain, repair and operate a huge corps of aeroplanes. It authorized the purchase of aviation grounds and gives the president full authority over the air fleet. A separate bill will soon be introduced providing \$639,241,000 for the purchase and maintenance of aeroplanes. The bill does not specify the exact number of planes. The program calls for two or three thousand.

SOUTH CHINA ESTABLISHES PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

London, July 6.—Southern China provinces established a provisional government at Nanking, according to Reuter Dispatch received today.

The news indicated a secession by the southern tier of Chinese states from the attempt at restoration of the monarchy at Peking.

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSN. MEETS IN PORTLAND

Portland, Ore., July 6.—Delegates from every corner of the nation are gathering here today for the convention of the National Education Association which opens here Monday. The council of the organization, similar to a board of directors, will meet tomorrow afternoon to discuss the policies of the convention. 8,000 delegates and 2,000 other persons interested in educational work are expected to assemble here next week. The convention ends a week from tonight.

The logs slip along easily. This same roadway is now covered with nice residences except in a few spots where the old skids point out to the writer the scenes of forty years ago.

The steam vessel Elizabeth came down from Prosser at noon yesterday where she had taken on a cargo of lumber, and took on between 75 and 100 tons of cheese here. The large river steamer Dispatch came down from Myrtle Point about 7 o'clock with a barge on each side in tow, loaded with cheese, which was transferred to the Elizabeth, which crossed over the bar at 8 o'clock for Frisco. The Acme also crossed out at 7:30 with a cargo of lumber for Frisco. I was told at the sawmill that they averaged 100,000 feet a day and had cut as high as 108,000 a day. 40 years ago the mill here cut from 8,000 to 12,000 a day. Some difference. Outside of the lumbering and dairying, business Bandon seems dull. Quite a few campers are coming in, and a great many auto tourists and pleasure seekers, and sight-seers, are going and coming. Property can be bought here very reasonable. The writer is not trying to boost Bandon, but speaking of it as he sees it from his point of view. I will leave for Marshfield Monday, July 2, and for Eugene a little later feeling better physically. If any of the readers of the Democrat are planning a vacation on the sea short, see Bandon.

SAGE ROOSTER