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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

**Principal Events of the Week
Briefly Sketched for Infor-
mation of Our Readers.**

A fathers' club for soldiers and sailors has been organized for Yamhill county.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill has made formal announcement of his candidacy for re-election.

The Sutherlin Spray Manufacturing company has been organized to manufacture sprays for orchardists at Sutherlin.

The executive board of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs has decided that the next annual meeting will be held at Portland.

Salem shippers have begun a movement to force a physical connection at that place between the lines of the Southern Pacific and the Oregon Electric.

Croppings of asphaltum and dried oil, which can be traced for over half a mile, have been uncovered on government land six miles east of Ashland.

Senator McNary is urging the passage of a bill permitting the exchange of public lands for privately owned lands, so public lands may be consolidated.

Judge S. Benson will succeed Judge J. C. Moreland as clerk of the supreme court. He is now deputy clerk, and has served as such for the last 16 years.

One of the most daring robberies in the history of Yamhill county postoffices was that which netted the thieves close to \$1100 in currency and supplies at Yamhill.

Baker is reported to be the first city in the state to achieve 100 per cent in the matter of providing war savings stamp selling stations. Its allotted quota of stations was 79.

Superintendent Churchill has received instructions from President Wilson and Provost Marshal-General Crowder, to call upon all school teachers of the state to report to the local draft boards in their respective districts and offer themselves for duty in copying portions of the questionnaires on cards which will be used for filing at Washington.

Statistics compiled at Astoria show that during the month of January 27 vessels loaded at the mills in the lower Columbia river district and their combined cargoes amounted to 19,518,572 feet of lumber. In the same period 14 vessels loaded 8,045,295 feet at the mills in the upper river district, making a total of 27,563,867 feet of lumber that was shipped from the Columbia river in cargoes during January.

Stop That Rent

Build a house—own a home. We will loan you the money. You can pay us back like rent. Paint and repair that old house and make it look like new. We will loan you the money. Your home is your best asset. Your city is judged by its homes. For 11 years we have supplied the smaller towns with money at a reasonable rate of interest from 3 to 8 years. We have the money—you need it.

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RILEY SHELTON, Local Agent
Scio, Oregon



R. N. Stanfield.

Candidate Before the Republican Primaries for United States Senator

The obvious political and commercial need of Oregon is competent and resultful representation in congress at Washington. R. N. Stanfield promises the state that representation if elected.

JORDAN ITEMS

Mrs. Peter Bilyeu visited at the home of Varda Shelton Saturday and Sunday.

Lloyd Kimball returned home from Camas, Wash., Friday.

Miss Nellie Jaynes spent the week end with home folks.

Harve Shelton visited his mother, Mrs. Jane Shelton, of Lyons, Monday, who is very poorly.

George Balsiger made a business trip to Seattle Monday.

A nice party and oyster supper was given by Riley Thomas last Saturday night. Quite a number were in attendance and all report a pleasant time.

The Parent-Teachers Meet

The Parent-Teachers meet on last Saturday at the school auditorium, was quite liberally attended. The people of Scio and vicinity are deeply interested in the welfare of their schools and are willing to do anything which will contribute to their success. The luncheon prepared for the noon recess was elegant and was greatly enjoyed by our visitors. Prof. Horner's lecture in the afternoon, illustrated with stereopticon views, was greatly enjoyed, as a matter of course. The subject "Egypt, a country without free schools and without Parent-Teachers meetings" was very appropriate.

The following was the program rendered during the day:

Song—Maxy Long.
Exercise—First and Second grades
Address—Prof. P. M. Nash, of Harrisburg school.
Story—Gloria Long.
Recitation—Leland Robe.
Remarks—On Parent-Teachers Association, by Prof. Robe.
Song—Third and Fourth grades.
Remarks—School equipment, by Mr. Shoemaker.
Song—Fifth and Sixth Grades.
Demonstration—Victory Bread, Miss Edwards.
Noon Luncheon.
Address—Boys & Girls Industrial Club Work, A. I. O'Riley.
Address—Egypt, the land without free schools and parent-teachers association, illustrated by pictures, Prof. J. B. Horner.

DEATH TO GERMAN STRIKERS IS THREAT

London.—General von Kessel, military commandant of Brandenburg province, in which Berlin is situated, threatens summary punishment of strikers who fail to obey his order that they resume work.

Employees failing to resume work will be tried by courtmartial, which is authorized to impose sentence of death, execution to take place within 24 hours of the time the sentence is imposed.

These drastic military measures, according to a report from Copenhagen, seems to have had the effect of breaking down the German strike movement.

The German government is keeping a tight hand on news of the strikes, which are attended by demonstrations, in Berlin and other parts of Germany. Hundreds of thousands of German men and women have shown in the last week that they have lost faith in the militarists, that they no longer believe the promises of their rulers, that they consider prolongation of the war poor business—and they must now decide whether to return to work or face the penalty that awaits spies and traitors.

The latest news from Germany tells of rioting and exciting scenes in the working class sections of Berlin, with the arrest of many men and women in various parts of the city. Outside of the capital the strike grew on Saturday, but there are no reports of clashes between the military and the workers.

GENERAL MENCHER



General Chas. T. Mencher, who succeeded General Mann as commander of the Rainbow division of National Guard troops in France.

Indorses President Kerr

(Published by request)

Whereas, We, the representatives from the various parts of the state of Oregon and the adjoining states in attendance upon the Short Course at the Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, in meeting assembled, feel and declare that we are in a position to know from the facts and to appreciate the great development and work of the Oregon Agricultural College, and the things that it has accomplished to the great benefit of the state by the painstaking and faithful guidance of its president, William J. Kerr; and

Whereas, We sincerely believe because of our personal knowledge that it is therefore our duty to the people of this state as well as the

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O. P. Hoff

Candidate before the Republican Primaries for State Treasurer

SCHOOL NOTES

School notes are a week late this week on account of first semester exam.

The Eagles went over to Lebanon and came home with victory at the end of their name. The score was 32 to 15 in their favor.

The Eagles were to play the Albany Red Socks Wednesday of last week, but as Albany failed to put in an appearance, a game with the Scio All Stars was substituted, resulting in a score of 48 to 8 in favor of the Eagles.

The school rally held Saturday turned out to be a very good one.

The last semester started Monday with two new students enrolled in the High school.

Our service flag contains eighteen names of soldiers now in the service who have attended the Scio public schools.

ENTENTE HAS MOST TROOPS

Secretary Baker Says Allies Numerically Superior on West Front.

Washington.—Warning the nation not to let reports of strikes and other internal disturbances in Germany slacken its war preparations, Secretary Baker in his weekly military review also makes the official announcement that American troops are at last holding a portion of the actual battle front.

For the first time, also, Secretary Baker declares that it is fully believed the allies have a preponderance of men and guns on the western front, despite the fact that the German line has been strengthened by troops from the Russian field. Secretary Baker declared the reports of numerical superiority have been spread by the enemy himself.

Two of the 612 accidents reported to the state industrial accident commission during the week ending January 31 were fatal. They were Fred H. Miller, Portland, killed in shipbuilding operations, and Clarke Correll, of Seaside, killed in logging operations.

The Farmers' union of Umatilla county has telegraphed the Oregon delegation in congress asking that the warehouse, where the grain is actually turned over to the government, instead of a terminal city such as Portland or Spokane, be established as a primary market.

Articles of incorporation, with stock placed at \$1,000,000 have been filed for the Gold Hill Manganese company, the incorporators being Tacoma parties. The property of the company was recently purchased by E. McColley, of Tacoma, and is located down Rogue river about 20 miles from Grants Pass.

LORRAINE SECTOR IS HELD BY AMERICANS

**American Artillery Proves Superior in First Real Battle
With Germans.**

With the American Army in France. —American troops are now occupying a sector of the Lorraine front in France. This announcement is permitted by the military censor.

The sector occupied by the American troops is northwest of Toul. It is inadvisable to mention the number of men in line, the length of the sector and other details.

The present battle line is about 16 miles north of Toul, where it extends eastward from St. Mihiel toward the German border.

German plans to raid the American trenches were frustrated early Monday morning. The American artillery put down a heavy barrage in front of and on the German lines, which are believed to have been filled with men and officers awaiting the signal to attack.

It was discovered at a certain hour that the Germans intended to carry out a "silent" raid. Fifteen minutes before the time set all the American guns concentrated their fire where, according to the information, the enemy was massed. It is believed heavy casualties were inflicted on the Germans.

Reports from the first line show that great courage was exhibited by the troops during the heavy German bombardment of Saturday. A number of men who were wounded slightly by shell splinters were treated in the lines with their first aid packets, and insisted on remaining at their posts until the fight was finished.

Many of the Americans have had their first experiences with gas in the last few days, as the Germans have been sending over a considerable number of gas shells.

American officers are elated over the results of the first artillery duel between American and German guns, which followed a preliminary shelling by the Germans. In official reports the infantry commanders paid tribute to the promptness with which the artillery responded to the call for a barrage and to the effectiveness of the artillery fire.

General Wood Leaves Hospital.

Paris.—Major General Wood, who was wounded in the right arm by a shell splinter while visiting the American front recently, left the hospital.

The Modern Method of Treating Colds

Colds, catarrhal and bronchial troubles are now most successfully treated by means of antiseptic, healing solutions applied by means of

*Atomizers
and Nebulizers*

This treatment will provide relief for head colds and throat troubles, and if used regularly will overcome chronic conditions. Ask us about a good solution to use for any special purpose.

C. A. EVERETT

Druggist and Stationer

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