

### LOCAL KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ADVERTISE VALLEY IN PROGRAM

The local Knights of Pythias has received a copy of the program for the convention of the supreme lodge to be held at Portland the first ten days of August. At the same time and place will be held the convention of the Supreme Temple of Pythian Sisters and the grand lodge of Oregon, K. of P.

With the many Knights coming from all over the world, 20,000 are expected from the northwest, including many companies of the uniform rank, who will go into camp at Vancouver, Wash., where they will have public display of military movements. This branch of the order is a semi-military organization, drilled in accordance with the regulations of the U. S. army, and the members are taught honor, justice, loyalty and patriotism.

The program shows that there will be addresses by many master minds of the order, and large gatherings are expected at all of the open meetings. Portland is straining every effort to show the visitors that she knows how to entertain. The Portland chamber of commerce is decorating the city in fine style with the colors of the order and all the leading business houses are planning to display decorations appropriate to the occasion.

Several communities have taken space in the sixty-eight page official program to tell something about their resources and attractions, and in this the Medford spirit of "get there" has surpassed them all. Through the efforts of some of the local lodge hustlers they secured four full pages in the center of the booklet, and these pages being of different colored paper from the others, naturally catch the eye quickly. Several good cuts, furnished by the generosity of the Mail Tribune, adorn the two center pages and add to the general attractiveness of the booklet. One page is devoted to a fine picture of Will G. Steel, supervisor of Crater Lake National Park, and his welcome to "The Scientific Riddle of the World."

Taken all together, the booklet is a fine exponent of the printer's art, and the 7000 copies printed and scattered all over the United States and Canada will once more show that Medford and the Rogue River valley is sure on the map.

### GAS STRUCK IN GRIFFIN CREEK WELL

When he deepened the well on his ranch near the Griffin creek school house nearly two weeks ago, Harry Stoltz struck what appears to be a flow of natural gas, according to W. J. Burbidge.

A bar was driven into the bottom of the well and when it was withdrawn a material increase of water followed. Shortly thereafter a stream of bubbles, accompanied by a thin, oily seam, appeared on the surface of the water. Mr. Stoltz, thinking he might have struck natural gas, lowered a flame into the well and the gas ignited. For nearly two weeks the bubbles have continued unceasingly and it is thought that by penetrating a little deeper a paying vein of gas and oil may be struck.

### DROP BOMBS ON HARBOR OF REVAL

BERLIN, July 19.—The bombardment by German naval aircraft of the Russian harbor of Reval on the Gulf of Finland last night was announced today by the German admiralty. Bombs were dropped on crabs and other warships, numerous hits being observed, one submarine being seen to have been hit four times.

### ANOTHER VOTE OF CREDIT FOR BRITAIN

LONDON, July 19.—Another vote of credit will be asked for next week, the premier informed the house of commons today. It will be the eleventh vote since the outbreak of the war, and probably will be for 300,000,000 pounds, the same amount as the last one. This will bring the total for the war to 2,682,000,000 pounds.

### 75 AUTO LOADS KLAMATH ROOTERS COMING TO GAME

Seventy-five automobile loads of Klamath rooters have signed up for the trip from that baseball Mecca to Medford for the big game Sunday. The presence of so many out-of-town attendants to the game made it advisable to reserve the first five rows in the grand stand and the seats are now on sale at Haskins drug store at 75 cents each. Owing to the big expense incurred in putting on this game, the management found it necessary to make the extra charge, but patrons of the game may be assured that the extra charge will be more than compensated for in the class of baseball offered.

Without any question, this should be the hottest contest in local baseball history, and any lover of the national game overlooking this contest will lose the opportunity of getting at first hand epochal baseball lore for the next generation.

Holders of season tickets may have reservations made without extra charge. Now is the time to show your pride in your home town. Let us all turn out and make this bunch of Klamath rooters look like a Mexican penny in the U. S. treasury.

### ASKS POSTPONEMENT OF CLAYTON LAW

WASHINGTON, July 19.—President Wilson was asked today by Alfred P. Thom, general counsel of the Southern railway; Robert S. Lovett, head of the Union Pacific system, and Frank Trumbull, chairman of the railroad executives' advisory committee, to ask congress to have the operations of some provisions of the Clayton anti-trust law postponed until the situation is further investigated.

The railroad officials told the president they considered sections of the act conflicting. Amendments to the act have been recommended favorably by sub-committees of the judiciary committees of both senate and house, and railroad officials are anxious that action be taken during the present session of congress. The president had discussed the question before the railroad representatives and is understood to favor their plea.

### CASTRO RELEASED FROM DETENTION

NEW YORK, July 19.—Former President Cipriano Castro of Venezuela was released from Ellis Island today. He said that the decision of Secretary Wilson, overruling the special board, which had denied him admission to the United States was what he expected. He declined to discuss his plans.

### ADMIRAL POND SUCCEEDS CAPERTON, PORTO RICO

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Rear Admiral Charles F. Pond has arrived at Port Au Prince, Haiti, to succeed Rear Admiral Caperton in command of the American forces. Admiral Caperton is on his way to San Diego, Cal., to relieve Admiral Winslow of command of the Pacific fleet.

### PROHIS IN CONVENTION

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Immediately following Chairman Poling's address, F. W. Emerson of California delivered the response for the convention.

The forenoon session concluded at 12:45 o'clock, and a recess to 2 p. m. was taken.

The committee on permanent organization decided to recommend to the convention the selection of Robert H. Patton, Springfield, Ill., as permanent chairman, and Howard Kerschmer, Topeka, Kan., permanent secretary.

### SLAVS IN HUNGARY

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The situation is unchanged. Numerous bombs were dropped with good success by our aeroplane squadrons on railroad stations at Borojdzija, and Puzorjily, and on the Minsk-Baranovichi line, which is filled with troop transports.

"Army group of General von Lin-sing" is placed the artillery of the enemy was very active, especially on the Stokhol and to the west and southwest of Lutz.

### BRITISH BLACKLIST AMERICAN FIRMS IN FOREIGN TRADE

NEW YORK, July 19.—With very few exceptions, all of the American business firms and individuals blacklisted under the trading with the enemy act, have their quarters in New York City. Most of these merchants expressed no surprise today over the action of Great Britain.

J. A. Kohl, an exporter and importer, said:

"This blacklist has been in the hands of bankers all over the world at least a year, to my personal knowledge. I have known for more than a year that I, for one, have been blacklisted. I am and have been for twenty years an American citizen. Not only has my business, which was mainly with China, Japan and far-eastern countries, been broken off completely by seizure of goods, but I have been unable to buy bills of exchange or in any other way settle my affairs. Others have been unable to get bills of exchange through me."

Alfred Richter, a trader with Chinese and Japanese merchants, made a similar complaint: "My goods have been seized at Hongkong and elsewhere regularly," he said, "until I stopped doing business. My mail to my agents in Canton, Tien Tsin and other cities were returned to me. The reason, so far as I can guess, is that once almost thirty years ago I was connected with a German firm."

Mr. Richter said he had been a citizen of the United States for twenty-five years.

### DEMOCRATS ACT ON PRESIDENT'S REQUEST

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Senate Democrats met today to act on President Wilson's request for passage of the child labor bill. The Democratic program does not include the bill, and the president wants it included without delaying adjournment of congress. Some senators fear that it will mean prolongation of the session as some Democrats are determined to fight it.

### AIRSHIPS BOMBARD DEPOTS, TREVINO, ITALY

BERLIN, July 19.—A squadron of naval aeroplanes dropped 30 heavy and light bombs on railroad and military establishments in Trevino, Italy, during the night of July 17," says an official Austrian statement of July 17. "The operations were successful. One aeroplane is missing."

### SUIT FOR \$2,500,000 BROUGHT FOR COMMISSIONS

ST. LOUIS, July 19.—Suit for \$2,500,000 against John T. Milliken, St. Louis oil man, and eight Oklahoma oil corporations, was brought in the circuit court today by M. S. Sherwood and E. C. Matthews, brokers of Kansas City. The suit is for commissions, the brokers allege, are due them in the transfer of oil properties in a deal which involved \$16,000,000.

### SLAYS DOCTOR WHO WRONGED HIS SWEETHEART

BOSTON, July 19.—Two hours after his sweetheart, Dr. Celia Adams of Brookline had died from an overdose of a drug, Dr. Edwidge D. Atwood of Woburn, Tuesday shot and probably mortally wounded Dr. Wilfred E. Harris, president of the Massachusetts College of Osteopathy, at the latter's office in the Hotel Westminster, in the Back Bay district. Dr. Atwood disappeared after the shooting but was later arrested after a brief struggle at the office of his fiancée.

### A Cough May Lead to Tuberculosis

Distressing and dangerous complications may follow if you neglect it, even when an serious stage is reached. Eckman's Alternative may bring relief. For more than twenty years it has been widely used in such cases with beneficial results. As soon any medication employed in this trouble, the best results are obtained when the patient pays strict attention to diet and gets plenty of rest and fresh air. Because of its easily assimilable content of calcium chlorid, this preparation is effective where a tonic up-taker is indicated. As a corrective of night sweats it has proved most useful. It may be tried with absolute safety, since it contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs of any kind. At your druggist's. Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

### HEROIC DEFENSE OF OVILLERS HELD UP BRITISH ADVANCE

PARIS, July 19.—The capture of Ovillers by the British necessitated one of the most sanguinary encounters of the advance, wires a correspondent of the Liberte.

Nevertheless the British were well rewarded for their effort, for they gained possession of the broad highway leading from Albert to Baupenne.

The village was defended for ten days by two regiments of the Prussian guards. The correspondent says that of these regiments, only 126 men survived, and all of these were captured.

It was at Ovillers that the British offensive, which began July 1, was held up while the remainder of the line was advancing. From July 7 on the village was completely cut off from the German rear, but it was not until July 14 that the desperate resistance of the Prussian guard was overcome.

The defenders of the town suffered from hunger and thirst, as the British curtain of fire prevented the bringing up of fresh supplies. Some of the Germans are reported to have been poisoned by drinking polluted water from a pond and others have been driven mad by the bombardment.

### REVIVAL OF ACTIVITY IN ALBANIA REPORTED

BERLIN, July 19.—Revival of activity in Albania, where the military situation has been virtually unchanged for months is reported in the official Austro-Hungarian statement of July 16.

### COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY LOSES FOUR MILLION DOLLARS

NEW YORK, July 19.—Columbia university loses a bequest of \$4,000,000 under a verdict today by a jury setting aside the will of the late Amos F. Eno. This amount represented Eno's residuary estate, which, his relatives claim, he willed to the institution while of unsound mind.

### TWENTY INJURED IN MILWAUKEE COLLISION

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 19.—More than twenty persons were injured here today in a rear-end collision between two street cars. None was injured internally, but it was found necessary to take eighteen to the emergency hospital. The accident occurred when a motorman lost control of his car on a steep grade.

### SMALL SHARKS KILLED NEW YORK HARBOR

NEW YORK, July 19.—A shark four feet long was killed in New Haven harbor today. A six-foot shark was caught at Onset, a short distance from New Bedford, Mass. George Mansfield of Prospect is in Medford today.

## The Perfect Corn Flakes



New Post Toasties are not only inexpensive, but they bear a new deliciousness, produced by a new process of cookery—the first to produce corn flakes with the self-developed true corn flavor.

So fine is this flavor that New Post Toasties are wondrous good eaten dry. Unlike common corn flakes, they do not require cream and sugar to make them palatable. Try some that way—you'll appreciate the point, though they're even better when served with cream or good milk.

These New Post Toasties don't mush down in cream, and they are not "chaffy" in the package, like common flakes. They're new in form, new in flavor and new in appearance. Note the tiny bubbles on each flake—an identifying feature.

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### WOOL SKIRTS

Just 60 Tailored Skirts left—All go in this sale—25 per cent off.

Great Reductions on WASH SKIRTS

### All Middies, Dresses and Waists Must Go—Our Loss Your Gain

100 Silk Waists, sold up to \$8.00, go in this sale at, each, 98c

100 Lingerie Waists, sold up to \$4, slightly mused, go in this sale at, each, 48c

100 New House Dresses, worth up to \$1.50, this sale, each, 98c

100 Old Style Summer Dresses, up to \$8 values, at, each, 98c



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### Embroidery

1000 yards of beautiful new Embroidery Floucing, 18 to 24 inches wide, up to \$1.50 values, now, yard 48c

The New Models on Sale Tomorrow of The "Wirthmore" Waist SOLD HERE ONLY Always \$1.00—Worth More

### New Fall Suits

We are showing a few of the latest models in Wool Suits for fall and winter wear. It will pay you to buy your suit early this year.

### Embroidery

1000 yards 46-inch Floucing in voile and Swiss, up to \$3.50 values, this sale at, per yard, 98c