

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

J. F. Wortman, who left last spring to undergo an operation at Mayo Brothers' hospital, Rochester, Minn., and has been recuperating at his former home, Ashland, Nebraska, is expected to arrive this week in Medford. He is reported to be much improved in health.

Dr. Heine fits glasses correctly. Mr. and Mrs. Volney Dixon left this morning for a visit with relatives at Roseburg.

Johnson for high-class watch repairing.

Mrs. E. R. Seelye and daughter, Nana, returned home this morning from their sojourn at Newport. They were met at Albany by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grover, newlyweds returning from their honeymoon trip in the east, who accompanied them home.

Mrs. Grover, nee Marie Seelye, and husband will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Seelye and family for a short time.

Metz cars at Riverside Garage. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Chapman and Miss Mabel Chapman are tourists visiting in the city from Walker, Oregon.

Highest price paid for barley, wheat, oats and hay. Monarch Seed & Feed Company.

Mrs. Carl Hoots returned to Dunsmuir, California, today after a visit with Mrs. G. R. Satchwell.

Johnson for high-class watch repairing.

A company did not have its usual daily march today to some distant point in the valley, but remained in camp where the soldiers were given bayonet exercise and instruction.

Call Taxi 303.

Mrs. R. L. Oak and children have returned to their home at Arcata, California, following a visit with Mrs. Oak's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Conser. They were accompanied home by Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Brannham. The trip was made by auto.

For the best insurance, see Holmes, the Insurance Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. D. Weston of Dorris, California, former residents of Medford, left for home today after a short business visit in this city.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office, Room 404, M. P. & H. Building.

Mrs. E. R. Scott and son of Creswell, Oregon, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

Metz cars at Riverside Garage. Mrs. John J. Wilkinson and son arrived in Portland on Monday to join Mr. Wilkinson, former bookkeeper in the Medford National bank, who recently accepted a position in the internal revenue collector's department in the Portland district which necessitated his removal to that city.

Bring your wheat to the Central Point Mills. We handle it in bulk and save you the cost of bags. We are in the market for all kinds of grain.

Mrs. S. A. Griffiths, aged 74 years, and daughter, Mrs. R. A. Lindsey, returned to Grants Pass this morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Darnelle. It was Mrs. Griffiths' first visit to Medford and vicinity since she left here 20 years ago. With her first husband, Mark Congwer, she resided for many years in Jackson county. Last Sunday the Congwer family held an enjoyable reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Congwer, near Jacksonville, at which 23 persons were present, including Mrs. Griffiths and Mrs. Lindsey. Despite her years, Mrs. Griffiths lives alone and operates her large ranch in Josephine county.

Shiner sewing machine shop. C. A. Chapman. Phone 963-R. 245 S. Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas of Klamath Falls were visitors in the city on Monday.

Dr. Frank Roberts, dentist, St. Mark's Building. Phone 323-Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Metz of Bend, Oregon, former residents of this city, arrived last night for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Oregon Agricultural College Fruit & Vegetable Evaporator, built according to official specifications at Pacific-Fox, & Fix Factory.

William N. Sline, baggage agent of the Southern Pacific, has returned home from his vacation trip to Logansport, Indiana. He left this city on July 5. Mrs. Sline, was called to Logansport on May 14 by the critical condition of her father, who died on August 4. She is still in that city and will not return home until the last of September. She will probably be accompanied home by her mother.

Dr. Chas. T. Sweeney, Physician and Surgeon, Phillips Bldg. Phone 36.

Miss N. M. Dibble of Palo Alto, California, is visiting in Medford for several days. She is en route to Salem for a visit with relatives.

Rawles Moore, Attorney at Law, Office now located Rooms 7-9, Medford National Bank Bldg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brinkley of Portland are among the auto tourists visiting in the city today.

Mrs. A. B. Cunningham and Mrs. O. O. Allenderfer have returned from their auto trip thru northern California as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jefferson. Call Taxi 303.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob George of St. Helens, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watts of Portland are an auto party who are making the Medford hotel their headquarters.

Dr. Heine, eye, ear, nose, throat. Mr. and Mrs. Will Nichols, Miss Anna Broad and O. S. Sevelin are enjoying an auto trip to Coquille and other Oregon coast cities.

Drs. Dow & Dow have returned from their vacation and resumed practice, having re-opened their former offices.

Mrs. M. M. Scarff and daughter, Miss Joyce, and Miss Wilson, former teacher of geometry in the public schools, are enjoying a trip to Crater Lake.

Hot cakes and coffee, 10c. Diamond Restaurant, 127 Sixth St. 140\*

Chief of Police Hiltson, accompanied by several relatives of Mrs. Hiltson from Tulsa, Oklahoma, left early this morning for a five days' fishing and hunting trip at Fish Lake and vicinity. Night Policeman Timothy will be acting chief of police during Hiltson's absence.

M. A. Lowe of Ashland, who was up attending a meeting of the Jackson county fair directors last night, says he finds great interest in the coming fair all over the county and says the district exhibits will be much more extensive this year than ever before, and there will be a greater number of them. The winning exhibits will be displayed at the state fair.

The notice that the beginners of the Christian church will hold a picnic on the lawn this evening is a mistake. The whole school will have a picnic at Ashland Wednesday evening and will meet at the church at 6:30. Autos will be furnished for the members of the school.

Mrs. M. McAfee and Jesso Hughes and family of Lakely, California, are a tourist party in the city who are making the Nash hotel their headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dudley, baby and maid of Los Angeles, who are making the Medford hotel their headquarters during their visit in the city, are spending today at Crater Lake.

James E. Grieve and son motored down to the city last night from Prospect and took back a load of supplies this forenoon.

Mrs. F. M. McDonald of Portland and Mrs. W. A. O'Neill of Gila Bend, Oregon, are tourists in the city who are guests at the Hotel Holland.

Sergeant Paul Baper, former army recruiting officer in this city has been transferred to active duty in the line and has rejoined his regiment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fardley and daughter of Chehalis, Washington, are guests at the Nash hotel today.

Among the tourists and visitors registered at the hotels of the city today are Mrs. Emma Reeve and R. G. Darlington of Los Angeles. A. B. Fletcher, Mrs. D. R. Myhill and M. S. Bettincourt of Sacramento, Laura Hatch of Chicago, Clara Scaaf of Fullerton, California, E. A. Muldoon and Burton A. Sifford of San Francisco, John Welch, Jr., O. L. Starr, C. E. Batley, C. M. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Freeman of Portland, and Dr. F. G. Bunch of Myrtle Point, Oregon.

STATE CONFERENCE HELD IN MOSCOW

MOSCOW, Aug. 21.—The sitting of the state conference August 25-27 to consider the political situation and plans for the new national government will be held in the great state theater here. The public will not be admitted, but places have been reserved for the members of the diplomatic corps.

Premier Kerensky, who will preside, will read at the opening of the session on August 25 a statement on the political situation and the economic life of the country.

LATIN-AMERICA LINING UP (Continued from page 1.)

her congress is now discussing appropriating \$50,000,000 for war purposes.

Guatemala has a railroad line from Puerto Barrios on the Atlantic to San Jose to the Pacific, affording the United States quick transportation of men, supplies and ammunition from ocean to ocean in case of emergency.

Finally it gratifies the administration that both kinds of Latin-Americans have joined hands with us. Brazil is the greatest Portuguese country, and all the other South and Central American nations that have joined are Spanish-American.

CANADIANS MAKE FURTHER ASSAULT ON LENS DEFENSE

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fore Verdun has not yet ended, the German general headquarters staff announced today. This morning fresh engagements developed at various places. The statement adds:

"Our troops and leaders anticipate a favorable conclusion of the battle."

In many places colored and white French troops penetrated the German defensive zone in which every step forward, the German report says, had to be wrested at the cost of sanguinary losses. In bitter hand-to-hand fighting and by counter-attacks the French were driven back almost everywhere.

The announcement says that the mighty Verdun struggle swayed to and fro during the whole day. West of the Meuse only Dead Man Hill and the southern fringes of Ravenwood remained in the hands of the French. East of the river of Hill 344, south-east of Samogneux and in Fosse wood the French won a little ground. Against the small local success of the French, the announcement adds, must be set the failure of their attack on a front of 20 kilometers (12 1/2 miles).

British Official Report.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Germans this morning made a third attempt to recapture positions near Epehy, recently taken by the British. The war office announces that they were repulsed completely.

The statement follows: "Early this morning the enemy made a third attempt to regain ground recently captured southeast of Epehy. The supported by flammenwerfer, his attacking troops were repulsed completely. We hold all our positions. East of Epehy our troops raided the German lines on a wide front in the neighborhood of the St. Quentin canal and brought back prisoners. We improved our positions slightly during the night north of the Ypres-Menin road."

French Official Report.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Counter-attacks of extreme violence were made by the Germans last night in an effort to recapture positions taken in the French offensive on the Verdun front. The war office announces that the Germans were beaten back with heavy losses. The number of prisoners now exceed 5000.

The German attacks were especially severe at Avocourt wood and north of Caurieres.

Attacks also were made by the Germans without success on the Aisne front near Cerny and Hurtebise.

"On the Cerny plateau the Germans made attacks at three different points. On two occasions our men broke up the assaulting waves, which were thrown back greatly weakened to the German lines. The other attack, west of Hurtebise monument, also was repulsed.

"On the front north of Verdun the Germans reacted energetically during the night. Their counter-attacks, which were extremely violent, especially at Avocourt wood and north of Caurieres wood, were broken up by our fire. The enemy suffered heavy losses with no result. Our troops maintained all their gains and organized the captured positions. The number of unwounded prisoners taken by us yesterday exceeds 5000, of whom 116 are officers.

Russian Report.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 20.—Austro-German forces are making vigorous attacks on the southern Rumanian front. The war office announcement of today says that stubborn resistance is being offered by the Russians and Rumanians, who, however, were forced back at several points. On the Caucasian front, where the Russians recently took the offensive, a further large advance has been made, a series of villages being captured.

OBITUARY

POWELL—Mrs. Rosannah Powell, widow of the late William Powell, an old resident of Ashland, died at her Ashland residence August 17, aged 78 years. She was born April 3, 1839, in Tippecanoe county, Indiana. Mrs. Powell crossed the plains to Oregon in 1874 with her husband. They lived near Baker, Or., till 1886, when they moved to Ashland. Four years ago Mr. Powell passed away. Funeral services were held Sunday.

Mrs. Powell is survived by six children, five of whom were present at her death. They are: John F. Powell of Baker, Or.; Albert E. Powell, D. S. Powell, T. L. Powell, all of Ashland; Mrs. R. M. Murray of Helena, Mont.; and Mrs. William Plackas of Ashland.

ARMY REOPENS RECRUITING OFFICE SEEKING TRADESMEN

The United States army has re-opened its recruiting station in the postoffice and will enlist volunteers for service in the regular army, the infantry, signal corps, quartermaster corps, cooks and bakers and United States Engineer corps. First Sergeant Gustav Weston, U. S. A., is in charge.

Special assignments in the Fourth Engineers, U. S. army, are open for saddlers, lithographers, blacksmiths and horseshoers and printers.

Tradesmen are needed for aero and balloon squadrons as follows: Blacksmith, cabinet maker, chauffeurs, clerks, cooks, draftsmen, electricians, engine repairman, engine testers, lithographers, machinists, mechanics (airplane), metal workers, magneto repairmen, motorcycle repairmen, propeller makers, photographers, radio man, rigger, sailmaker, stenographer, vulcanizer, welder, skilled and unskilled laborers, moulders, pattern makers, painters, saddlers, buglers, carpenters, plumbers, cardage workers and tailors.

GARRETT NOMINATED MINISTER TO DUTCH

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—John W. Garrett of Baltimore was nominated today by President Wilson as minister to the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

CONSCRIPTION OF PROFITS

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justice to the American boys who are marked for slaughter, to the American homes already in the shadow of death, to declare here and now by our votes on this record that the wealth of this country will be taken as mercilessly thru the power of taxation as men are taken by force of the draft."

Mortgaged to Money Lenders.

By keeping down taxes and increasing bonds, Senator La Follette said, the masses are being "mortgaged to the money lenders."

Loans to the allies, the senator said, may and may not be repaid, certainly not for many years after the war. Russia, he said, is in the throes of a revolution, and "Italy, if reports are correct, is on the eve of one."

Possibility of bread lines this winter because of the high cost of living, he pictured thus in conclusion: "Always remember that the high prices already upon us have taxed the common people of this country for the support of this war to a much greater extent than the wealthy class would be taxed if every dollar of income of the members of that class were taken by taxation. When bread lines shall be a familiar sight in every city of this land, as they are bound to be if the present price of the simple necessities of life is maintained during the coming winter when cold and hunger are daily visitors in many thousands of homes which have known only comfort heretofore, a condition certain to exist during the coming winter months unless relief from present prices can be found, it will be small satisfaction, I think, to the members of this congress to realize that they have contributed to the want and suffering of the mass of people by refusing to place even an approximately fair portion of the financial burden of this war upon the rich."

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WANTED—Separator man for threshing outfit. Apply H. W. Bingham. Phone 597-33.

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ALLIES' OBJECT TO INFLICT LOSSES NOT GAIN GROUND

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Yesterday's victory of the French on the Verdun front was welcomed by the French people not only because after it the Germans no longer hold one of their dearly bought conquests won since the first onrush on the Verdun fortress in February, 1916, but as proof that the unity of action among the entente allies is at work.

The British, Italian and French fronts are all active at the same time, making it possible that weaknesses may develop somewhere along the German and Austrian lines confronting them. The Figaro, however, warns its readers against expecting too much.

"Experience has shown," the Figaro says, "that it is vain to hope to pierce a front which incessantly closes after the breach has been made. At Verdun, as in Flanders, the object is to strike the enemy the most powerful blow possible and then to await an opportunity to strike again. It is not the territory won that counts, but the losses inflicted."

Funeral services over the late Catherine Williams were held in the Baptist church at Central Point this forenoon at 10 o'clock with Rev. M. F. Bandy officiating. The interment was in the Central Point cemetery.

BRITISH LABORITES SPLIT OVER ISSUE OF PEACE MEET

LONDON, Aug. 21.—By the narrow majority of 3000 in a vote representing nearly 2,500,000 workers today, the British labor conference decided to stand by its plan of sending delegates to the international socialist conference at Stockholm. The vote was attended by a turbulent scene. Part of the delegates sang a socialist song and others the patriotic "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

Arthur Henderson, who resigned as a member of the British war council on account of the question at issue, made a long defense of his action. The socialist element proposed that all labor representatives should be instructed to withdraw from the government, but the suggestion did not meet with sufficient support to come to a vote. George N. Barnes, who succeeded Mr. Henderson in the cabinet, defended himself against attack and said he proposed to continue to support the government in what he believed would be a successful effort to establish freedom in the world. He believed Germany has all to gain and the others all to lose from the Stockholm conference.

Ralph Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Norris, R. F. D. 1, has just been promoted from corporal to sergeant in the First Oregon field artillery, now stationed at Clackamas.

DESPONDENT WOMEN Constantly recurring suffering gives women "the blues." Comparatively few women realize that despondency, together with backache, headache, and that "dragging-down" feeling indicate some derangement of the feminine organs, for which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a remedy. It is said that this famous old root and herb remedy has been the means of restoring more women to health and consequent happiness than any other remedy in the world. Don't wait until your life is wrecked by neglect and suffering. Give the Compound a trial.

AMUSEMENTS Tomorrow and Thurs. AUG. 22 and 23



America's Idol George M. Cohan The Man Who Dramatized the American Flag In a Picturization of His Greatest and Most American Play Broadway Jones Balcony 15c; Lower Floor 25c Children 5c

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT

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