

AID TO SOLDIERS DEPENDS ENTIRELY UPON RED CROSS

A campaign for funds for the sustenance of the Red Cross from July to December, will be staged this week by friends of the society. A sustaining fund for the Red Cross has never been asked of the public before.

At the close of the war a fund of sufficient proportions for carrying on the work was in the treasury. But the national society, to carry on its program already pledged, was forced to call upon its chapters at two different times for funds. This caused a pronounced depletion in the treasury. Two national drives have since been held and of the money thus obtained, fifty per cent goes to Washington, D. C., for the fulfillment of the national work, as the Pueblo disaster. Of the help now asked every dollar will be applied locally. A generous response will fill the needs until the annual drive which occurs in November.

The imperative necessity of a Red Cross organization in this city is made so by the government. All work with the soldiers, in the many branches of advancement and compensation have been placed under the supervision of the Red Cross branches by the United States government. This work is thoroughly mastered by the Red Cross and cannot be consigned to any other body. The many other phases of the work have grown out of the soldier contact.

All lines of the work are handled by local people, who know the circumstances and the needs of each individual case.

The Red Cross chapter will live in Jackson county because the government demands it. Whether or no its activities temporarily cease, depends upon the local support.

Daily Report on Federal Plums

WASHINGTON, June 27.—J. Raymond McCarl, of McCook, Neb., secretary of the republican congressional committee, was nominated today by President Harding to be comptroller general of the United States, a position created by the new budget law which becomes effective today.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Joseph T. Booth was nominated by President Harding today to be register of the land office at Evanston, Wyo.

Donald McAllister was named receiver of public moneys at the same place.

IRISH PEACE EXPECTED

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ster into a conference with the Sinn Fein," declaring Lloyd George is not treating Sir James Crow, the Ulster premier, fairly in asking him to meet with Eamonn DeValera.

The nationalist, Irish News, after pointing out more fiscal freedom must be the basis of any negotiations for a national settlement, says "it remains to be seen whether Lloyd George is acting because of a spasmodic pang of honesty or is merely developing another strategic maneuver for putting five-sixths of the Irish nation in wrong before the eyes of the world."

TOURISTS TRAVEL TO CRATER LAKE SPITE OF WARNING

The near approach of the opening of the Crater Lake season, July 1st, is shown that despite having been warned to keep away until that date because of the still prevailing snow conditions, people are arriving daily from both north and south to visit the great scenic wonder. There will be no hotel accommodations at the lake until July 1. However, conditions now point to many people being there at that time.

Four auto tourist parties from California, alone left the city auto camp around this morning for the lake, taking their own bedding and food along, and not caring how much they would have to rough it in the snow. They were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Britner and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robbins of Petaluma, and W. C. Whitney and one other man from Berkeley.

The snow situation at Crater National park is still somewhat discouraging, and it now seems that on July 1 visitors can not get any farther by auto than within a mile or half mile of the lake, and will have to foot it that distance. Autos can now reach only one mile beyond Anna Spring camp, and from this point it is four miles to the lodge and lake rim.

H. H. Long, secretary to Alex Sparrow, superintendent of Crater National park, arrived here Sunday from park headquarters, where he has been since June 13, and reports that there are still some snow drifts 10 feet deep between Anna Spring camp and the lodge.

Manager Tengwald and the large party of Crater Lake company employees who were scheduled to leave the city this morning for the lake to open up the hotel, had to postpone their start until tomorrow morning, as Superintendent Sparrow and his men were too busy today at important road work to spare the teams to assist in transporting the party and their baggage from Anna Spring camp to the hotel.

ITALIAN CABINET FALLS ON VOTE

ROME, June 27.—(By Associated Press.) The cabinet today decided to resign as a result of a vote yesterday in the chamber of deputies on the question of confidence in the government, which was regarded as unfavorable.

The expression from the chamber followed debate on the reply to the speech from the throne, in which the government's foreign policy was attacked in some sections and as warmly defended in others.

The vote was 234 to 200 in favor of the government, but the cabinet considered the majority too small to justify continuance in power.

The chief opposition was expressed against the Jugo-Slav treaty of Rapallo.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Legislative action on the Curtis-Nelson bill to add about twenty-five million dollars to the capital of federal farm loan banks for long term loans to farmers was completed today with acceptance by the senate of the house reduction from fifty million to twenty-five million dollars. The bill goes to the president.

Y. M. C. A. BOYS HIKE TO ROGUE RIVER TUESDAY

Arrangements are complete for the Y. M. C. A. hike to camp Tuesday morning.

Though the camp site is on Rogue river, the waters of the Rogue are found too cold and treacherous for swimming at this season and in consequence Butte creek will be used for swimming. There are many good holes and the water is easily 80 degrees on these warm afternoons so that the boys are assured of excellent swimming.

Present indications are that there will be delegations of boys from Central Point, Lone Pine, Oak Grove, Griffin Creek, Talent, Phoenix, as well as Medford. Adult leaders including Dr. M. A. Miller, Archie Hatch, Rev. Lawrence, P. W. Mearns, Geo. J. Kuzman, Rev. J. W. Angell, C. H. Newby and Cash Wood will be in charge.

Semi-military regulations will be observed, from reveille to taps. "Colors" will be observed twice a day with due ceremony.

The start will be made from Medford city park at 9 a. m., Tuesday, and the return will be Thursday afternoon.

URGES DOCTORS TO UNITE UPON REPEAL DRY LAW

ATLANTIC CITY, June 27.—The doctors of the country were called upon today to unite in an effort to repeal the Volstead act by Dr. W. Wallace Fritz of Philadelphia, president of the allied medical association of America, in an address at the annual convention of the organization. He declared the prohibition law was a curse and made more drunkards than did the old laws.

"The precedent established by the Volstead act," he said, "restricts medical practice and, if the profession values its therapeutic liberty, it must meet it with a protest that will demand attention. The medical profession should not permit itself to be placed in a position before the whole world as liquor salesmen and drug stores as saloons."

"From general observation the law has been a curse to our country. It has taken away pure liquor and beer and has substituted poison and deleterious liquors. It is causing death after death of the innocent public. It is causing cases of blindness by the score. Are the physicians going to make a stand for the good of the public health or are we going to sit quietly and suck our thumbs? We must decide which is the greater evil from a medical standpoint, prohibition or home brew."

CLATSkanie, Ore., June 27.—Jack Whitmore, traveling salesman for an Omaha company, is dead as a result of an automobile accident here Saturday night. The accident occurred at a sharp curve when an automobile driven by Mrs. Lillian Ransom of Portland left the road. Mrs. Ransom and four others in the car escaped serious injury.

OREGON LEADS U. S. IN PROSPECTS FOR 1921 PEAR CROP

SALEM.—(Special to Mail Tribune.)—Oregon is the only state in the United States that had on June 1 of this year prospects for a larger crop of pears than at the same date one year ago, according to advices received by the Oregon Growers Co-operative Association and also according to the figures of the bureau of estimates of the department of agriculture.

The estimate on the pear crop of the country in general on June 1 of crop. Last year on June 1 the estimate was for 73 per cent of a full crop.

New Jersey has practically no crop at all, while last year the estimate June 1 was for 90 per cent of a crop. Ohio has only 15 per cent of a crop in sight, while a year ago the estimate was for 77 per cent of a crop of pears.

The Illinois crop is in about as bad condition, with an estimate June 1 for 15 per cent of a crop while one year ago prospects were for 70 per cent. Indiana has only 16 per cent of a crop in sight, compared to 79 per cent for June 1, of last year.

NO SPRAY CAN SHOW ON FRUIT SHIPPED EAST

SALEM, Ore.—(Special to Mail Tribune.)—Spray residue on pears and other fruits which was noticed a year ago on shipments to the east, is likely to cause trouble this year according to officials of the United States bureau of chemistry.

And just to prevent any possible misunderstanding about this spray residue on pears, the chemistry officials have sent word to growers in the west that shipments of pears intended for the east must be clean of spray residue. And not only must there be no evidence of spray on pears, but chemistry officials state many eastern markets will refuse to accept shipments with evidence of spray on the fruit.

In California, the state board of health and the U. S. bureau of chemistry are working in connection with the California state director of agriculture, attempting to handle this problem so that California pears will be accepted in all eastern markets.

Oregon pear growers who are shipping fresh fruit to the east are reminded that it is imperative that fruit should not show any evidence of spraying.

LONDON, June 27.—(By the Associated Press.)—King George today received in Buckingham palace the members of the American polo team which decisively defeated the British representatives in the recent international matches for the world's polo championship. The king presented the Westchester cup, emblematic of the championship to Devereaux Milburn, captain of the American team. His majesty congratulated the winners and complimented them on the sporting spirit they displayed during the contests.

MEDFORD BEATEN BY GRANTS PASS IN TEN INNINGS

Medford's baseball team made its initial appearance yesterday and was beaten by Grants Pass in a close game on the latter's field. Grants Pass made the first score in the second, Medford tying it up in the sixth. Each team made one in the ninth and the game went into extra innings. Due to an error on Medford's part Grants Pass scored in the tenth thereby winning what was probably the best ball game ever played in southern Oregon.

The game throughout was a pitchers battle between Pernoll for Grants Pass and McIntyre for Medford.

Medford should be proud of the showing her team has made in its first game and render the boys her moral and financial support. Here's hoping to see a corking good game on our local field in the near future.

REFUSES SECOND MILLION

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equalled what I have consumed of the products of society.

"If I went out and hustled and produced more things for a world which already has more things than it needs and are good for it I would be injuring society. There are already enough food and clothing for everyone—if everything were equitably distributed. That is why the present system is futile. When a man who has as much as he wants is wished a fortune of a million the system by which the situation comes to pass should be abolished."

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