

Pro-Germans Hinder Airship Building

SABOTAGE CASES IN NORTHWEST SPRUCE MILLS

L. W. W. BELIEVED BEHIND THE MOVEMENT

Death Measures Will Be Meted Out to Those Who Hinder Work of Government—Country-Wide Movement to Obstruct Airplane Construction Being Unearthed—Many Cases of Sabotage Reported.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—Officials are convinced that there is a well defined movement at work by some agency to hinder aircraft production, and they believe that a drastic campaign may be necessary against the agitators.

The movement is noted clear into the spruce forests of the Northwest, where numerous cases of sabotage are reported from the mills cutting airplane wood.

All the labor disturbances are said to be fostered by the Industrial Workers of the World, which is also hindering the aircraft construction.

NEW PEACE OFFER BELIEVED COMING

VISIT OF AUSTRIA-HUNGARIAN MINISTER TO BERLIN AT THIS TIME IS TAKEN BY MANY TO MEAN MORE OVERTURES

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 5.—It is generally believed in diplomatic circles that the visit to Berlin of Count Ottokar Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian minister, may be preliminary to a new peace offer by the central powers.

TEUTONS CROSS THE TAGLIAMENTO

BERLIN, Nov. 5.—The Austro-Germans have crossed the Tagliamento River and have taken 6,000 prisoners. They are now advancing further west.

New Train Service Was Greatly Needed

The extra passenger train service, which started here yesterday, will be welcomed by everyone, as it has long been felt that this district was seriously handicapped with only one train in and out each day. The morning train, which leaves at 7:15 will make connection with the northern bound train on the main line, and the noon train will give connection for San Francisco and southern points. Both trains incoming and outgoing will carry mail. In order to get letters

FIRST CASUALTY LIST PUBLISHED

THREE KILLED, FOUR WOUNDED AND TWELVE MISSING AMERICANS FOLLOWS FIRST CLASH WITH GERMAN ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—The official casualty list of American losses in the first clash with the Germans shows Privates Thomas Enwright, James Graham and Merle May killed. Privates Hopkins, Box, Givens and Orr J. Smith wounded. The missing list includes Sergeant Haliburton, Corporals Mullhall and Haines, Privates Godfrey, Kendall, Grigsby, McDougal, Gallagher, Lester Langham, Kern and Kecken.

None of these are from the Pacific Coast. The statement said that the Germans cut off a ballnet from the rest of the line with barrage fire.

One German was captured by the wounded men.

WELCOME RAIN VISITS KLAMATH

WILL ENABLE FARMERS TO START FALL PLOWING—COUNTRY ROADS WILL BE GREATLY IMPROVED

The warm rain which is now falling over the Klamath section is very welcome to everyone. The weather remained clear long enough for all farmers to complete their harvest work and to get much other desired work done. It will now be possible for them to go ahead with fall plowing and get their lands in readiness for next year.

The roads thruout the district will also be greatly improved when they are again settled following the storm.

ELECTRICAL ADVERTISING WILL BE CURTAILED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—Steps to limit the use of coal for electrical display advertising will be taken up by the fuel administration officials have decided that aE.....Dwo officials within a few days. These officials have decided that a large amount of coal may be saved by dimming signs, and is at work now on regulations to be put in force. A promise of co-operation in fuel saving was made today by heads of public utilities concerns thru their organizations, the national committee on gas and electrical service.

MANY RUSSIANS JOIN PACIFISTS

WHOLE GARRISON AT PETROGRAD JOINS BOLSHIEVSKI, PACIFIST ORDER—GREAT EXCITEMENT IN CITY

LONDON, Nov. 5.—At a meeting held in Petrograd, representatives of a whole Petrograd garrison passed under the guidance and influence of the Bolshieviki, a radical pacifist group, according to a dispatch just received.

There is great excitement in the city.

KLAMATH BOYS LEAVE DAYTON

WILL GO TO NEW YORK FIRST, AND WILL GO TO FRANCE WITH RAINBOW DIVISION, BUT DATE IS NOT KNOWN

Word has been received from the boys in the Thirteenth Aero Squadron, stationed at Dayton, Ohio, that their long suspense is finally ended, and it is definitely settled that they will leave there—in fact have already left—for New York, preparatory to embarking for France. In a letter dated October 28th, Lou Hoagland writes to his mother as follows:

"Well, we are all packed up and ready to leave, waiting for further orders. The train that is to take us to New York is on the siding, and we will leave some time tomorrow. "I was offered the position of Master Signal Electrician, at \$61 per month, if I would stay here, but I didn't want to leave the rest of the boys, and decided not to take it. I am recommended for the same office abroad, at \$97 per month. I am sure of the promotion, as it has been recommended by the officers at this station, and also by the officers going with the squadron.

"I will be allowed to write only one letter a week after we leave New York, so don't worry if you don't hear from me for some time after leaving. But you folks write every day, just the same, as home letters are the most welcome visitors we can have.

"I have taken \$400 Liberty Loan bonds, for which I will pay \$22 a month until paid for. Maybe you think this squadron isn't a loyal bunch—altogether the boys in this little squadron have taken out \$25,000 in Liberty bonds.

"Maybe you will think I should have taken the opportunity to remain in the United States when offered, and maybe I should have done so, but I just couldn't. It seems to me that the work is where the trouble is, and that is where I want to be. All the boys feel the same way, and if I didn't go with the rest of them I would always feel that I had't done my full duty to the flag.

"So there it is. I feel it is my duty and before you get this letter we'll be on the way. Don't worry. Everything will be all right."

With Hoagland will go Emmitt McCullom, Joe Shelton and Wm. Weeks, all members of the same squadron.

UNITED STATES AIDS RUMANIA

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—Owing to the news that a conference is now being held in London to consider the Rumanian situation, it is known that the United States has advanced \$2,000,000 to Rumania thru Russia.

Red Cross Works For Soldiers Christmas

Christmas presents for the soldiers at the front is one of the problems now interesting the Red Cross workers thruout the United States. The time is drawing very near when all gifts for the boys across the ocean will have to be mailed, if they are to reach their destination by December 25th.

It is believed from the way the people of the country have manifested their interest in the welfare of the soldiers in the past that they will desire especially to see them remembered at the Christmas season.

The Red Cross Society has apportioned 30,000 gifts for the state of Oregon. Of this Klamath County is looked for to furnish 100.

The \$75 taken in by Mrs. E. B. Hall at the hard times party last week will be turned for this purpose, and the Red Cross dance to be given at the Elks Club Friday evening is being given to raise funds for this purpose.

It is expected that money for the Christmas packages will be raised by chapters thru contributions by individuals for this specific purpose. Donations will be received at the Red Cross work rooms.

Nothing should be packed which will not keep fresh until Christmas. It is suggested that only goods which are assured of standing the long journey should be mailed.

Following is a list of articles suggested for the Christmas packets: Khaki colored handkerchiefs, 27 inches square, for container. Writing paper pad, about 7x10 inches.

Germans Prepare to Retire From Belgium

LONDON, Nov. 5.—According to information received from Belgian sources, the Germans are systematically dismantling and destroying factories and work shops thruout Belgium.

In the Liege district the blast furnaces have been taken down and the machinery and materials sent to Germany. At Ougree preparations have been made to pull down three blast furnaces and seven rolling mills have been removed. The same story comes from many other places.

It is suggested that the Germans are preparing for an early retreat in Belgium similar to that which took place in France last spring.

Vice President Will Make Portland Visit

PORTLAND, Nov. 5.—Vice President Marshall will visit Portland next Wednesday, November 7th. He will speak at the armory in the evening on "National Tendencies." The lecture is to be held under the auspices of the Girls' National Honor Guard, and the proceeds will be devoted to the unfortunate children of Portland.

MICHIGAN HEADS LIST OF PLEDGE CARD SIGNERS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—Signers of more than 222,000 pledge cards during the day was reported to the food administration by voluntary workers thruout the country, who have been canvassing housewives for

Governor Will Resign to Go to the War



Governor Keith Neville of Nebraska has made up his mind to resign his place to go to the war in Europe. He has been appointed colonel of a Nebraska National Guard regiment, and he is now waiting to hear from the War Department.

YOUNG MEN UNDER SERIOUS CHARGE

GRAND JURY FOLLOWING CHARGES MADE IN JUSTICE COURT SATURDAY

Following an examination in the justice court Saturday, Jess Millett, J. Swinney and A. L. Bragg of this city have been bound over to the action of the grand jury, charged with improper conduct with young girls. The prosecution only was brought out, and the defense waived presentation of testimony.

Testimony was introduced by the prosecution to show that Swinney and Bragg had recently taken a young girl to Bend, where Swinney and the girl had resided for a period as man and wife. On their return the girl was left with a brother-in-law of Millett at Chiloquiss, according to the allegation.

All three defendants were remanded to the county jail until such time as they could raise the bonds imposed by Justice E. W. Gowen. Attorney John Irwin appears for the defendants.

RUSSIANS DRIVING TURKS BACKWARD

PETROGRAD, Nov. 5.—The Russians have driven the Turks from the first line near the Black Sea, and advanced to the third line in some places, taking much booty.

FINE RESIDENCE UNDER CONSTRUCTION

The fine new residence being constructed by Fred Bussing on Third street, near High, is being rapidly completed, and will be a valuable addition to this locality. It is being constructed of wood and concrete blocks, and will be completed at a cost of over \$2,000.

Food Conservation Lecture Tomorrow

Tomorrow afternoon at the Library the lecture on the conservation of the food supply will be given by Mrs. M. E. Fisher, the food conservation lecturer. The one tomorrow will be a practical demonstration of conserving food products. This meeting is open to all the housewives of the city.

REVENUE STAMPS FOR PARCEL POST

COMMENCING FIRST OF NEXT MONTH REVENUE STAMPS MUST BE PLACED ON ALL FOURTH CLASS MAIL.

One more gentle reminder that this country is now at war comes today in the announcement issued by the postoffice department to the effect that beginning December 1st a special revenue stamp will be required on all fourth class or parcel post packages sent anywhere in the United States.

The tax will amount to one cent for each 25 cents postage required, that is one cent for any package costing 25 cents or a fraction thereof, two cents for packages costing between 25 cents and 50 cents, and so on.

This special stamp must be placed on the package at the time of mailing before it can leave the office.

It must be placed by the person sending the package, and cancelled by him at the time of mailing with his initials and the date.

The new revenue stamps will not be interchangeable with the regular postage stamps.

KLAMATH RANCHER HAS CLOSE CALL

REACHES PORTLAND AND TAKES PASTEUR TREATMENT IN THE NICK OF TIME—DOG WITH THE RABIES LICKED SORE HAND

H. E. "Blondy" Crane, of the well known firm of Crane & Waters, farmers of the Klamath Basin, has returned from Portland, where he took the pasteur treatment following an exposure to rabies.

Mr. Crane had barked the skin from the back of his hand. His dog approached unguarded, and licked the injury affectionately. It was later discovered that the animal had the rabies, and it had to be shot. Crane immediately went to Portland to be treated, and it was well he did so, for he was informed that had he waited another day it would have been too late. As it is, he will suffer no ill effects.