

### AVIATORS PREPARE TO FLY ACROSS ATLANTIC

#### Prize Of \$50,000 Offered For First Successful Flight By London Daily Mail.

New York, Feb. 20.—With three—possibly four—aviators ready to fly across the Atlantic from the American side to the British Isles, the Aero club announced today that three airmen in England have filed their entries for the trans-ocean event.

A prize of \$50,000 has been offered by the London Daily Mail for the first successful flight. An additional \$50,000 is offered if the trip is made in a British built machine and the start is made from British soil.

Captain Hugo Sundeit entered for the \$50,000 February 24. Since that time three English entries have been made, according to a cablegram to the Aero club. The names of the aspirants on the other side of the water have not been made public.

Sundeit, the independent, claims he can fly from New York to St. Johns N. F., and after replenishing his fuel tank, make the jump from Newfoundland to Ireland, or possibly to the English coast in 21 hours. He has deposited his \$500 forfeit in entering for the Daily Mail prize. According to the terms of the contest, entrants cannot make the flight until 14 days after filing the entry. In that time, they must allow a thorough inspection of their machines by Aero club officials. Sundeit it was reported might sacrifice the prize money rather than wait 14 days before making the attempt.

It was rumored today that Lieutenant Colonel William A. Bishop, the British ace of aces, is now contemplating a flight from Newfoundland to Ireland. He was said to have an exceptionally fast plane, "somewhere in Canada" ready for the venture.

### Logging Camps Will Open Later Than Usual This Year

Supt. U. G. Holt, of the Spaulding Logging company, returned recently from a visit at the Black Rock camp where he has been looking after some construction work preparatory to the spring operations. Owing to the unsettled condition of the lumber market, he thinks that their camps may be later than usual in opening up. Probably it will be April first before the camps all get under way. The camps all along the coast as well as the mills are operating on a conservative basis until it is learned what the eastern and foreign markets are going to require. James Day, who was for 11 years logging foreman for the Spaulding company, now located at Vancouver, B. C., writes to Mr. Holt that the same conditions exist there, though they are handling a good deal of foreign trade. He writes: "They seem to be cutting mostly large timbers—looks like ship stuff—but it is bound for Australia."

They are expecting an order from England for 100,000,000 feet of ties, and if they get that there will be something doing. There are just three big saw mills here. They load the stuff on barges and tow it out to the ships. The docks here are crowded with big ships from Australia, China and Japan, some of them with guns mounted fore and aft and their gun crews still on duty. It looks as though the war was still on. The town is full of soldiers, and just the other day the Empress of Japan left with 1500 soldiers aboard bound for Siberia. There are a great many crippled soldiers here—armless, legless and blind. They sure have had a hard time, but they seem to be happy. They have an exhibition here of captured war materials—brought over by the Canadians—machine guns, cannon of all kinds and an airplane."

### Local Basket Ball Team Win Victory

Probably the hardest game of the season for the local "5 Y" team was played last night at Dalles after a long wearisome ride through some of Polk county's favorite mud. The local team rode the storm with the result of 15 to 13 in their favor, after a battle which probably equals that of any game played in either city this season. The Dalles team averaged ten pounds heavier than the local team, and has had three years of victorious seasons to back them up in their claim for victory, but the grit and speed of Salem's "5 Y" bunch seemed to bewilder them, and added to the fact that the game was played on the Dalles dance floor, made things lively for both teams. This game totals the game the "5 Y" team have won this season.

From the time the referee's whistle sounded the start until the timekeeper announced the score the house was one continuous uproar. For the first seven minutes neither team was able to score but at the end of this period the first basket went to Salem, thrown by Brown from the center of the floor. From this point on the score was tied several times until finally it stood 12 to 12 even. Burroughs then found one basket and one foul that the Dalles referee deemed necessary to call on his own team. Dalles also threw the foul, making the final score 15 to 13. The lineup of the Salem team was as follows: Herbert Socolefsky, Captain, R. G. George Tatro, L. G. Frank Brown, C. James Putnam, L. G. Julian Burroughs, R. F. Harold Socolefsky, Sub. Bohanan, Sub. The Dalles team will play a return game on the Y. M. C. A. floor Saturday evening at 7:00 p. m. A lively scrap is expected.

### U. OF O. DEFEATS WASHINGTON

Pullman, Wash., Feb. 20.—Oregon University outplayed and defeated the Washington State college basketball quintet here last night in a fast game that ended 38 to 35 in Oregon's favor. Durno, Oregon's right forward, alone scored 28 points. He played fast

### CHARGES THAT THIRTY FIFTH WERE NOT CARED FOR ARE UNFOUNDED

#### Major General Traub Told This To House Rules Committee Today.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Charges that the Thirty Fifth division was mishandled and not properly cared for in the battle of the Argonne are not "well founded," Major Peter Traub, the division's commander, told the house rules committee today.

Questioned categorically concerning the charges of Governor Allen of Kansas, Traub either made a flat denial or said the condition was unavoidable, under the exigencies of battle.

"Everything possible was done for the wounded," Traub said. "But there weren't enough stretchers in the A. E. F. to take care of seven thousand at one point."

Traub denied flatly that the Germans dominated the air.

There was a shortage of horses, he said, but he denied the shortage was as great as 53 percent.

Turning to artillery, Traub said about a half dozen shells from the allied artillery had fallen inside the American lines.

The division was never outside its army and corps artillery, he said. Generals Martin, a national guard officer and McClure, a regular army officer, had been removed on his recommendation, Traub said.

"One thing prompted me and that was the success of our arms," said Traub. Three regular army colonels were removed at the same time.

Traub maintained the soldiers always had something to eat although there was probably a shortage of food at some points.

Supplies of winter underwear had not caught up with the division at the time of the Argonne fighting, Traub explained.

Engineer troops had been pressed into the fighting to relieve an infantry division, Traub admitted. "And you can bet your sweet life they fought too."

"The boche had the Frenchman's poet. He would not go up there and try that job."

"We took in three hours what the French had been up against three years."

and safe, taking no chances and missing none. The two teams are now tied in the Pacific Coast conference race, each with three defeats and six wins.

Walter Leo Kelly, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly of Oregon City, died of pneumonia at Camp Meade, Md., February 14.

# Reading advertisements has helped to make this a united country

Jim Hawkins props his feet on the rose festooned porch railing in an Oregon suburb and reads the same motor car advertisement that Cousin Peter is studying as he rides home from work in the New York subway.

You can meet up with anybody in the United States and quickly get on a conversational footing because you both read the same advertisements.

Advertising is the daily guide to what's good to buy.

In Arizona you can buy the same tooth paste and tobacco that are used by the folks in Maine.

Advertisements give you the latest news from the front line of business progress.

California fruit growers advertise their oranges and lemons to the people of the East. New Hampshire factories make ice cream freezers for Texas households.

Reading advertisements enables you to get more for your money because they tell you where, what and when to buy.

There can be no division in a country so bound together by taste, habit and custom.

And it is a well-known fact that advertised goods are more reliable and better value than the unadvertised kinds.

## The Last But The Biggest of our

# Removal Sales

Don't miss the opportunity to get the real bargains in all kinds of groups. Dry goods, clothing and shoes at the Farmer's Cash Store, 151 North High street. We are moving at full speed to the J. L. Stockton store at 186-194 North Commercial street, under the name of the Peoples Cash Store. We will celebrate our opening by the first of March with nice premiums to the customers and also with big bargains of every line of description in our store. Our reduction prices for Friday and Saturday of this week will surprise you.

### Here are a few of our Big Reductions:

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| Best Fisher's hardwheat Snow Fall flour | \$2.75 | 1 can "Hunter Boy" sweet corn      | 15c    |
| Best Valley flour                       | \$2.50 | 1 can Armour's best milk           | 15c    |
| Sack of sugar                           | \$9.65 | 1 can Standard tomatoes            | 15c    |
| 10 pounds sugar                         | \$1.00 | 1 can Royal Club sauer kraut       | 14c    |
| 15 ounce pkg. raisins                   | 13c    | 1 can very best clams              | 13c    |
| 12 ounce Royal Baking Powder            | 32c    | 2 oz. extracts any kind            | 20c    |
| 10 lbs rolled oats, bulk                | 70c    | 1 net pound Ghiradelli's chocolate | 30c    |
| 10 pounds Pancake flour                 | 65c    | 1 gallon white table syrup         | 95c    |
| 10 pounds Graham flour                  | 60c    | Honey in bulk, pound               | 26c    |
| 3 pounds head rice                      | 30c    | 10 pounds Karo syrup               | 95c    |
| 3 pounds head rice, broken              | 25c    | No. 5 Compound, pail               | \$1.15 |
| 3 pounds best white beans               | 25c    | No. 5 Vegetole                     | \$1.39 |
| 3 pounds Red Mexican beans              | 25c    | Cottolene Net 3 pounds             | \$1.07 |
| 3 pounds best grade Reliance Coffee     | \$1.10 | 1 gal. pure cooking oil            | \$1.95 |
| F. C. S. 40c coffee                     | 29c    | 5 bars Armour's White Flyer soap   | 25c    |
| 2 pounds bulk cocoa                     | 45c    | Selected onions, pound 1 1-2c;     |        |
| 1 pound peanut butter                   | 8c     | per sack                           | \$1.40 |
|   |        | Burbank potatoes, per sack         | \$1.50 |
|   |        | Big size oranges, dozen            | 35c    |

Also big bargains in all kinds of dry goods, clothing, shoes and rubbers. We are giving Free Premium Coupons with the purchase of One Dollar in the line of glassware, silverware and nice cooking dishes. Please call and see our Premium Department and give us your orders early so we shall be able to deliver promptly.

## FARMERS' CASH STORE

151 North High Street

Phone 453

### Publisher Of "Hornet" Indicted For Libel

Eugene, Or., Feb. 20.—James Fullerton, who publishes a pamphlet which he calls the "Oregon Hornet" and which has been barred from the mails, was indicted on five counts by the Lane county grand jury on charges of printing false and scandalous matter and libel "of and concerning the officials, faculty and students of the University of Oregon."

The indictments returned by the grand jury yesterday are as follows: For publishing on September 1, 1918, an article charging that immorality ex-

isted at the University and was publicly condoned by President Campdell.

For publishing in October issue libelous statements concerning the board of regents, the faculty and the students of the University, charging that the regents were allowing the taxpayers to be robbed unmercifully.

For also publishing in the January issue an article in which he charges that immorality is rampant at the University.

Twenty-nine witnesses were examined by the grand jury and a final decision was reached late yesterday afternoon. Fullerton has been released on \$1000 bond and will plead tomorrow.

Fullerton was at one time an inmate of an insane asylum.

### SENATE APPROVES GASOLINE TAX

A road tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline and one half cent on distillate was voted by the senate yesterday afternoon when house bill 424 was passed without opposition.


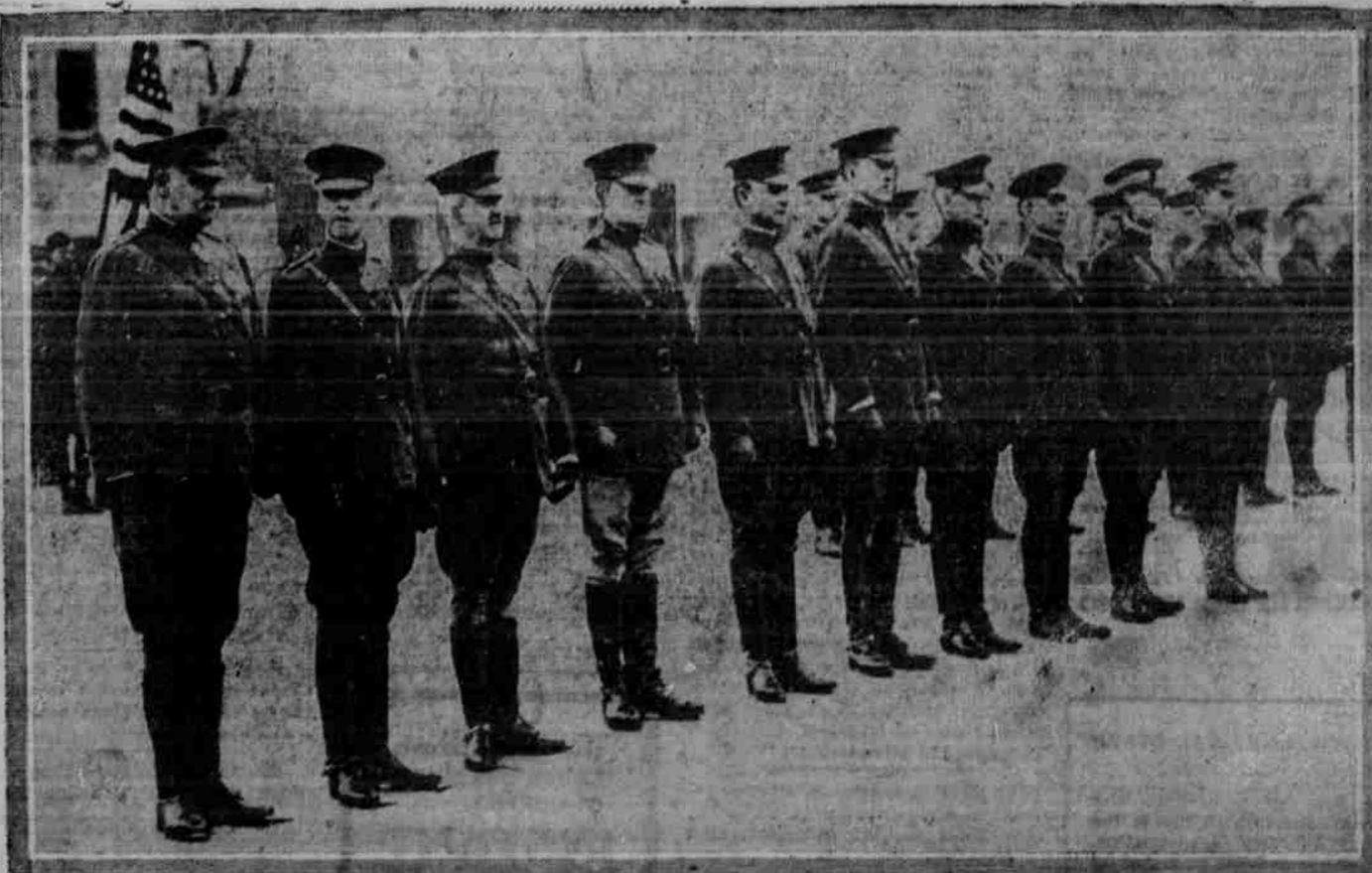
Figures were presented by Senator Orton showing that approximately 21,050,000 gallons of gasoline and 8,100,000 gallons of distillate are used in Oregon annually, and the tax just voted will produce a revenue of \$371,000 a year. This fund will go into the road fund.

As the bill carries an emergency clause the tax will be in effect as soon as the governor approves the bill. The \$10,000,000 road bonding bill,

which was passed by the house Tuesday, was made a special order in the senate for this afternoon.

Weston is going to have a \$3000 community building in honor of the soldiers who went to war and the pioneers of the county.

**CHILDREN**  
Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply the "outside" treatment—  
**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
"YOUR BODYGUARD"—30% G.O.P. N. 20

AMERICAN GENERALS MADE COMMANDERS OF THE LEGION OF HONOR—Ten general after they had received the decoration from Pottain at American General Headquarters, Chaumont, France. Reading left to right they are: Lieut. Gen. Hunter Liggett, commanding First army; Lieut. Gen. Robert L. Bellard, commanding Second army; Major Gen. James W. McAndrew, Chief of Staff, A. E. F.; Major Gen. James G. Harbord, commanding general, 8th army corps; Major Gen. Charles P. Summersell, commanding Fifth army corps; Major Gen. John L. Hines, commanding Tenth army corps; Major Gen. Edward M. Lewis, commanding Thirtieth Division; Brig. Gen. Michael J. Lumbard, commanding the Seventy-Seventh Division; Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, commanding Air Service, army of Occupation in Germany; Brig. Gen. Frank Parker of the First Division.