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ONE HUNDRED DAY BATTLE

The most terrific struggle of the whole war is that now going on at Verdun. Yesterday was the hundredth day since the battle began and it has continued almost without rest ever since. Its losses have been appalling and so far but little has been accomplished.

The Germans are apparently making a superhuman effort to smash the French defenses, and to accomplish this have gathered a million men, so the dispatches state, and these it is hurling in solid columns against their enemies in a desperate attempt to utterly crush them.

Human life has not been considered, is not being taken thought of, the sole aim being to conquer, and the death list has broken all records for a single battle, for such it practically is.

Night and day there has been a continuous rain of lead and iron until the earth itself is ploughed, torn and ground to dust by it.

In the last two or three days the French have been forced back in places, but every foot gained has cost a wealth of lives.

They say they may have to retire still further, but do not seem at all alarmed at the situation, relying on the miles of trenches behind them to which they can retire, and which are almost as impregnable as Verdun itself.

The French government is confident the Germans will wear themselves out and be utterly exhausted long before they can force their way through the trenches between them and Paris.

The dispatches yesterday said the Germans had drawn heavily from the Russian front, and also from the Austrians for this great attack. If this is true, and the Russians take advantage of it, it is liable to cause the kaiser some worry, for he cannot let the Russians regain their lost ground in Poland, without endangering his empire.

Bloody history will be written this summer but whether it will chronicle a German or Allied victory remains to be seen. To the observer on this side of the big pond the result of the great conflict is as much in doubt now as it ever was.

The Capital Journal will assist in the movement for better homes and better food by promoting a cooking school next week. It will be free and Mrs. Vaughn and her co-laborers are among the foremost workers in this field in the United States. This week the same people are conducting their school in Portland under the auspices of the Oregonian and that paper reports an attendance of 1500 women at the afternoon lectures and demonstrations, the audience packing the building to the doors. We trust that the women of Salem will be equally appreciative of Mrs. Vaughn's splendid work in a field where there is room for so much progress along intelligent, practical lines.

March came in and went out like a lion, April continued the same cold blustering rainy conduct and May has done but little if any better. June is here now and it is hoped has brought a little sunshine and warmth with her. It is only three weeks until the sun will have reached its farthest northing and will begin his journey back to where Christmas lives. Let us hope the month will set down on the fuel dealer for a short time and give the long neglected iceman a chance.

Umatilla county's sheriff, Till Taylor is to be, as it were, king consort to Queen Muriel, of the Portland Rose carnival. The king is to wear a cowboy costume and use a riatra as a scepter. It is rather a freakish idea, though the sheriff will no doubt be a great improvement on many that are in the king row. Still a sombrero and stern wheel spurs do not fit the average idea of royalty.

Hitchcock by his course at Chicago shows how much mischief a meddling friend can do, without intending it. He, according to his own statement, is acting without Mr. Hughes' knowledge or consent; yet he gets to the front and places Hughes in the light of an avowed candidate for the presidency, a thing that gentleman has tried most strenuously to avoid.

WOULD HAVE TAKEN PART IN WAR

Colonel Roosevelt in his speech at Kansas City Tuesday most vitriolically assailed President Wilson for his foreign policy, and placed himself on record as to what he would have done had he been president at the time the war broke out. Speaking of the over-running of Belgium by the Germans he said:

"I believe in international duty. I hold that we cannot assert that we are entirely guiltless of responsibility for the outrages committed on well behaved nations, especially Belgium, and on non-combatants, particularly on women and children, in the present war.

"Prior to the war we had become parties to the various conventions and treaties designed to mitigate the horrors of war, and to limit the offenses that can with impunity be committed by belligerents on either neutrals or non-combatants. When we declined to take any action under these conventions and treaties, we ourselves treated them as scraps of paper."

Could he have more plainly stated that had he been president he would have attempted to force the United States to take part in the war in order to protect the neutrality of Belgium? No other inference can be drawn from his statement.

At the same time he insists he wants bigger armies and larger navies for defense, and for the maintenance of peace only.

If this is what the Colonel meant by his statement, and no other meaning seems possible, then it was indeed a matter of profound congratulation that he was not at the head of the government two years ago. If his leadership would have been so dangerous to the country then, what would it be if we had a strong army and navy and allowed him to play with it? How dangerous would he be to the country once the preparedness program is carried out and the power to use this force placed in his hands? His speech answers the question.

Both Hughes and his secretary remain silent on all political subjects, neither affirming nor denying any of the countless rumors flying around about Mr. Hughes and his candidacy. As a candidate he can safely be classed as the sphynx, and that is a character no politician has ever before essayed, though Grant came near it. Teddy is trying hard to "smoke him out," but so far unsuccessfully. Hughes is some slinger of harsh English himself should he get waked up, and it would certainly make interesting reading should he try his tongue or pen on the strenuous one. It may yet develop into a triangular battle with Wilson, Hughes and Roosevelt in the midst of it.

All business stopped in St. Paul yesterday for a time while the funeral of the late "Jim" Hill was under way. At the same time if the governor's request was complied with, North Dakota business stopped for two hours. All trains on the Hill lines stopped five minutes and the big steamers on the Pacific and the Lakes stopped their engines for the same length of time. Under proclamation of the governor of Minnesota all flags were placed at half mast during the day. It was a fine tribute and well deserved.

Laerbes Rsowrdes hurled three bricks through the windows of the W. K. Vanderbilt residence in New York City yesterday, thinking it was the Rockefeller mansion. It is not to be wondered at that he made the mistake as his mind was fully occupied trying to remember how to spell his name.

Europe will never follow America's custom of having a Decoration day. They will never be able to raise flowers enough to decorate all the graves they have now, let alone those still in the making.

Colonel Roosevelt in his speech at St. Louis said "Never use a word unless you mean it." According to this Teddy "means" the entire English vocabulary and is "some meaner."

Now that Carranza is going to drive the Americans out of Mexico, it may be that Colonel Teddy will have the opportunity that he is spoiling for to shed some human gore.



BIRTHDAYS
A birthday is a solemn thing; a fellow realizes then, how speedily the days take wing, the days that do not come again. A little grayer than last year, a little slower in my gait, I feel the dump is drawing near, and still I keep my smile on straight. A little failure of my sight; a bit more deafness in my ears; a few more aches—but that's all right! I would not stop the scudding years. My bald spot is a bit more wide, my muscles grow a trifle slack; I have more stitches in my side, a few more cricks are in my back. But yonder vault of azure bends above no gladder heart than mine, for all about me there are friends, who keep an old gent feeling fine. Their kind words make my bosom swell, and fill my piebald eyes with tears; they tell me I am looking well, and hope I'll live a hundred years. A few more symptoms of the gout have vainly tried to kill my joy; a few more teeth have fallen out, but I'm as happy as a boy.



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Clear, Peachy Skin Awaits Anyone Who Drinks Hot Water

Says an inside bath, before breakfast helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Sparkling and vivacious—merry, bright, alert—a good, clear skin and a natural, rosy, healthy complexion are assured only by pure blood. If only every man and woman could be induced to adopt the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place, instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls, with pasty or sallow complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wacks," "rainbows," "facial tags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. Those subject to stiff headache, biliousness, watery breath, rheumatism, colds, and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance, awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

Dallas Power Manager Goes to Marshfield

(Capital Journal Special Service.)
Dallas, Ore., June 1.—A. L. Martin, local manager of the Oregon Power company, left yesterday for Marshfield, where he has been appointed by the above company. Mr. Martin has been in Dallas for the past two years and has made many warm friends who regret very much to see him leave. Since coming to this city he has been one of its most ardent boosters and is at present the president of the Dallas Commercial club. He is also a director of the LaCrosse club and a member of the executive committee of the Park county fair. Mr. Martin will be succeeded in this city by R. W. Steingard, who has been the local manager of the Corvallis property of the electric company for the past two years.

Observes Memorial Day.

Appropriate exercises in honor of those who gave their lives for their country in the Civil war were held in this city yesterday morning at the armory. The parade headed by the Dallas band and consisting of the local G. A. R. post and their wives, Company L. O. N. G., and the school children and Boy Scouts left the high school at 10:20 and marched down Main street around the court house and over to the armory where the exercises of the day were to be held.

Dallas Team Defeated.

The Dallas baseball team was defeated on the college campus Tuesday afternoon by the Lang company team of Portland by a score of 8 to 1. The locals were somewhat crippled on account of the sickness of Bevens, who pitches most of the time. Owing to threatening

MANY OREGON WOMEN SAY THE SAME.

Portland, Oregon.—"My daughter's health was very poor after her first baby came. Finally she took three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and her health was greatly improved. She has three children. Has always depended on this wonderful medicine to help her through."—Mrs. ISABEL BERTRAND, 38 Texas St., Portland, Oregon.

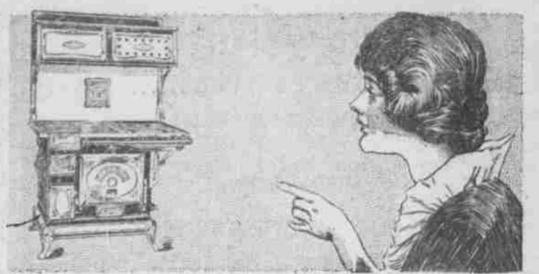
Lents, Oregon.—"I used Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription before my baby came and I believe it saved my life, as I was in very poor health."—Mrs. C. H. FOWLER, Lents, Oregon.

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weather the attendance was not up to the usual number.

Southern Pacific Sued.
N. C. Swanson has sued the Southern Pacific company for \$112.50 to recover damages for the killing of a horse and calf by an engine of the company. The railroad passes through Mr. Swanson's place east of this city and the right of way is not fenced at that point. The railway company claims that the public service commission granted it permission to leave the track there without a fence and that therefore it is not liable for damages. The case will come up before Justice Hardy Holman within a few days.

The Smithfield Farmers' Union is constructing a warehouse at that place. Sixty thousand feet of lumber to be used in the building has been shipped by the Willamette Valley Lumber company of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith, of Corvallis, were Dallas visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. B. Casey and daughter, Miss Helen, returned from a short business visit in Portland the first of the week.

W. V. Fuller and C. O. Tennis spent several days this week in the vicinity of Bald Mountain looking after fire patrol business.

Ben Werner was an over Sunday visitor with friends in the Capital City.

Mrs. D. J. Grant and little son, of Falls City, were recent Dallas visitors.

W. T. Pfeiffer, of Albany, was in the city the first of the week looking after business interests.

Henry Gohrke was a Portland business visitor the latter part of the week.

Circuit Judge H. H. Belt has returned from Tualumook where he has been holding a session of circuit court.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Siver were over Sunday visitors with relatives in Salem.

Price Brothers have installed a dry cleaning plant in their clothing store on Main street. Phil Price will have charge of the new department.

The Dallas Flouring Mill operated by Sweeney Bros., Saturday shipped a carload of 200 barrels of their flour to a San Francisco firm. This is the third carload shipped by the Dallas firm in the past three months.

Wayne Barham left Sunday evening for Seattle where he will join the Vancouver B. C. baseball team. Barham formerly played with this team but at the beginning of last season was sold

to Cincinnati and then to San Francisco. This season he has been out of professional baseball and has been pining for the Salem team.

San Francisco Girls Open Training Camp

(United Press)
San Francisco, June 1.—Washington's women's training camp isn't such a much. A squad of girls from San Francisco's most exclusive society circles went into camp here today as soldiers in the east cantonment of the President. They are to be taught how to be Amnons, and here is their daily stint.

6 a. m. Reveille. Dress within 20 minutes. Powder, fancy dress and beauty spots barred. Uniform khaki shirt, shirtwaist, elkskin boots and campaign hat.

Drill for half an hour to get up an appetite.

Eat at the general mess table with 250 other women, strangers.

Make beds, get lunch ready for instant preparation, be ready for first aid in class at 8:30.

All morning learn how to wrap him dummies in 157 varieties of bandages.

Non-... Lunch.

1 to 4 forced marching.

4 to 6 visitors.

6 dinner.

7 assignment of sentries and inspection 10 taps.

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