

OREGON IS NOT RECEIVING ALL MONEY DUE HER

BULK OF MONEY FROM SALE OF LANDS HELD FOR RECLAMATION WORK ELSEWHERE

SHOULD RECEIVE \$6,500,000

Senator Sinnott Calls Meeting at Portland to go Over the Matter. F. S. Bramwell to Attend

The Oregon State Chamber of Commerce has furnished the following figures showing the receipts from the sales of public land in 17 of the reclamation states of the West...

The first column of figures shows the receipts from the public lands to June 30, 1918. The next column of figures show the net investment by the reclamation service on June 30, 1918...

Table with 3 columns: State, Amount received, Amount due. Rows include Ariz., Calif., Colo., Ida., Kan., Mont., Neb., N.J., N.M., N.D., Okla., Ore., S.D., Texas, Utah, Wash., Wyo.

The original plan of the government was to return to each state a sum equal to the amount contributed by said state less a percentage for overhead expenses...

This proved of great value to some of the states, while others were forced to suffer accordingly. The figures shown above prove this statement...

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YAQUIS STAGE DARING STUNT TO SECURE ARMS

Nogales, Ariz., Apr. 7.—Yaqui Indians yesterday crossed the boundary from the state of Sonora, Mexico, into the United States. They obtained a large amount of arms and ammunition and recrossed into Mexico...

STRIKE GROWS IN FURY AT LAWRENCE

Promiscuous Firing by Strike Sympathizers and Police—Women Battle With Stones

Lawrence, Mass., Apr. 7.—Rioting marked by promiscuous firing by the strike sympathizers and police, opened the tenth week of the textile strike here today.

A bomb explosion in a tenement house stirred the city and 23 arrests were made.

In the mill districts women with stones in hands drove away children who attempted to go to school. It had been announced that the children of strikers would be kept away from the schools because of alleged anti-strike activities by the teachers.

UP TO DATE METHODS IN SOUTHERN OREGON

Plowing 800 acres of land ever so often, irrigating 1,500 acres of billabdes and valleys and clearing 1,000 acres of land looks like a big job, but Clyde E. Niles, of Grants Pass...

The Leonard farm is owned by C. M. Leonard, president of the Leonard Construction company, of Chicago. Several years ago Mr. Leonard came to Oregon in the interests of his company, which built the Multnomah hotel building and the John Deere Plow company's building in Portland...

Electricity for use on the farm is generated by falls on the Rogue river and a system of piping carries spring water to all parts of the farm. Water which is carried from one part of the farm by a drainage system, is used elsewhere as part of an irrigation system...

Some of the features of the farm are the 100 head of pure bred Berkshires, 125 head of Guernsey cattle, 200 acres of pears and 40 acres of apples. Model bungalows have been built on the farm for the 15 married men employed by the estate...

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"WHY VICTORY LOAN?" \$50 FOR BEST ANSWER

Portland, Apr. 7.—Have you tried to tell in 50 words, "Why the victory loan?" Some man or woman in Oregon is going to receive a \$50 bond for submitting the best answer to this question...

Write the 50-word answer at once, and mail so that it will reach the Feature Bureau, 329 Stark Street, Portland, Oregon, not later than April 10.

COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT IS TOPPLING

CONTROL OF HUNGARY STILL UNDECIDED, BUT BELA KUN REPORTED MURDERED

BAVARIANS REJECT SOVIET

Ukrainians Willing to Cease War on Poles if Matters Are Left in the Hands of the Entente

Vienna, Apr. 7.—The Hungarian communist government in Budapest has been overthrown, according to rumors current in official circles, say the newspapers here. Bela Kun, foreign minister, is reported to have been assassinated...

Washington, Apr. 7.—Advice reaching the state department today indirectly from Vienna, said a communist revolution seemed imminent in German-Austria.

Nuremberg, Apr. 7.—The Bavarian national conference of social democrats here has voted 42 to 8 against the introduction of a soviet republic in Bavaria.

London, Apr. 7.—The communist government of Budapest was still in office Saturday and Bela Kun was alive. No very strong opposition is indicated.

London, Apr. 7.—The Ukrainians are willing to cease fighting the Poles if the plebiscite to decide ownership of territory in dispute between the two republics is arranged under entente control...

Paris, Apr. 7.—Nullification of the 21 demands made by Japan early in 1915 is urged by the Chinese government in an official statement...

KOLCHAK AND DENIKINE HAVE HARD JOB IN SAVING RUSSIA FROM BOLSHEVISM

London, Mar. 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—General Denikine, head of the Russian volunteer army, which is fighting bolshevism in Southern Russia, is described by an English admirer from Odessa as "A man of about 50 years with regular features and the fine presence of the striking Russian type..."

The Associated Press correspondent met this Englishman, whose name may not be disclosed at the British foreign office.

Denikine, he said, is guiding his army and his "Special Council" through dangerous shoals, but so far he has not encountered any reefs. The "Special Council," he explained, is a legislative body which is laying the foundations of a "new All-Russian government..."

The volunteer army now numbering 100,000 men and holding a belt reaching from the Black Sea to the Caspian, he described as non-political. "It stands," according to the traveler, "for a united free Russia, for freedom of press and speech, and is aiming to bring about such conditions in Russia that an administrative government can be formed by the will of the people in a fair election..."

LLOYD GEORGE AND PRESIDENT ARE BOTH ILL

REPORTS THAT LLOYD GEORGE FAVORED RECOGNIZING LENINE WHOLLY UNFOUNDED

GEORGE WASHINGTON TO FRANCE

Believed Moving of Transport Means That Conference is About to Finish All Business

Washington, Apr. 7.—Paris advised today said President Wilson was steadily improving but was still in bed. He will not attend any meetings today.

Paris, Apr. 7.—Because of the indisposition of Lloyd George and the continued illness of President Wilson, the council of four did not hold a session this forenoon.

Paris, Apr. 7.—Orders which it is learned had been given for the steamer George Washington to proceed from America to a French port are not taken to mean that President Wilson is contemplating a premature departure from France...

Washington, Apr. 7.—Lord Reading, the British ambassador, has authorized the statement that suggestions that Lloyd George had advised the recognition of Lenin and Trotsky are wholly unfounded.

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TACOMA OFFICIALS WILL CHECK SOVIET

Claim "Workmen's Council" is Cloak to Hide Bolshevik Propaganda. Trials Begin Today

Tacoma, Wash., Apr. 7.—An answer to steps taken by the central labor council to attempt to recall the Tacoma city commission because they prevented the sale of tags by soldiers, the city officials today took steps to arrest more leaders of the Tacoma soldiers', sailors and workmen's council, and declare the organization is a reproduction of the Russian soviet.

The trial of 66 men and women who were arrested Saturday begins today. Each one is expected to demand a separate trial.

The labor committee met to arrange to rush the recall. Mayor Riddell said he welcomed the issue between the Russian bolshevik idea and the American idea of government. He said: "They are hiding their true character under the cloak of benefitting the soldiers..."

DR. REED OF THE O.A.C. SPEAKS AT LUNCHEON

At the close of the luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce today President Bramwell introduced Dr. Reed, of the extension department of the O. A. C., who told a few stories each with a point, and set the diners in good humor. He then gave facts in part as follows:

Professor Reed reviewed the various measures that are to be submitted to the people on June 3, dwelling especially on the measures linked up with the \$5,000,000 reconstruction bonding amendment. "The last legislature," said he, "was not only the most harmonious but the most progressive and constructive session the legislature of Oregon has ever held..."

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DEHYDRATED SPUDS FOR AMERICAN ARMY

Yakima, Wash., Apr. 7.—The fact that the government is the purchaser of 1,500,000 pounds of Yakima valley potatoes bought at digging time last fall and being held in storage, has become known. D. J. Griffin, formerly city meat inspector, but now with the quartermaster's department, sent here to inspect the government holdings, gave out the information.

Mr. Griffin reports that the potatoes are in good condition. The tonnage will be moved within the next month to Vancouver, B. C., where the stock will be dehydrated for American army use. Mr. Griffin said he thought the potato growers received probably about \$20 a ton for the "spuds." He estimates there still is 800 cars of potatoes left in the valley.

HUN PRISONERS ARE RESTORING CITY OF RHEIMS

WELL FED AND SHELTERED WHILE THEY REBUILD WHAT GREAT GUNS SHATTERED

15,000 CLEARING WRECKAGE

Common Soldiers Plod Along With the Work, but Former Officers Scorn Manual Labor

Rheims, France, Apr. 7.—One of the little ironies of life from a German point of view in this turbulent year of 1919 must be the present situation at Rheims. For four years hundreds of German guns fired millions of German shells into Rheims, completely wrecking its 15,000 buildings and the famous cathedral.

Today 15,000 Germans, captured by the French while this destruction was going on, are now at work clearing up the wreckage that their own army created, and it is expected that many more of these prisoners will be on the same job by spring.

Despite the fact that snow now covers the ruins of Rheims the work of clearing away the debris is going on. At the signing of the armistice a visitor to the martyred city could walk for blocks and not meet another soul. Today he could meet scores of people, and tomorrow hundreds. For the Remoises, like all other French provincial people, love their homes above anything else, and they are returning to them despite the fact that proper shelter and food are hard to obtain.

On almost every street, squads of German prisoners can be seen laboring in the ruins. They are well-fed looking individuals, having full, round faces. Among the thousands in Rheims, there is not one that can compare in emaciated and unhealthy appearance with the hundreds of British and other allied prisoners.

A small detail of some 30 or 40 Boches worked for the Red Cross in Rheims for several weeks. The American organization has furnished and equipped a dining hall and dormitories in a ruined school for feeding and sheltering returning refugees. The German prisoners repaired the roof that their artillery had filled with shrapnel holes, rebuilt two chimneys that had been knocked down and replaced broken balcony railing and staircases.

Upon completing the kitchen chimneys, they placed an American flag on the top, and then summoned the Red Cross worker exclaiming: "It is the flag of the world." The next day the Red Cross man asked the German non-commissioned officer, who had planned this little compliment to the Americans, to move a stepladder. The German refused to work, explaining that German officers don't do manual labor.

This attitude will have plenty of time to wear off in Rheims, if the prisoners are made to stay until Rheims again becomes a city fit for human habitation.

RAINBOW DIVISION COMING

Coblentz, Apr. 7.—Two more train-loads of happy, smiling soldiers of the 42nd (Rainbow) division started this afternoon for home by way of Brest.

BAKER LEAVES TO JOIN PRESIDENT IN FRANCE

New York, Apr. 7.—Secretary of War Baker, Hugh C. Wallace of Tacoma, the new ambassador to France, and 15 members of the military affairs committee and Warren Pershing, 9-year-old son of General Pershing, left today on the Leviathan for France.