

LOCAL BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZING

ASSOCIATION TO WORK FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF KLAMATH FALLS AND VICINITY

Open Meeting to Be Held in a Short Time, When Plans Will be Considered for Entertaining During Time Rodeo

At a meeting of a number of representative business men held last night, the Business Men's Association of Klamath Falls came into existence.

The officers elected follow: President—J. F. Maguire. Vice President—Fred Houston.

The organization is to work for a better relationship between the business men of the town, and to organize them to work together for the betterment of the Klamath country in every way possible.

WILL RUN SWAP PAPER SHORTLY

COUNTY AGRICULTURIST WILL SEND OUT MONTHLY LETTER, SHOWING WHAT FARMERS WANT TO TRADE

In order to facilitate trading among the farmers of Klamath county, County Agriculturist H. Roland Galsyer has announced that on January 1st he will begin the publication of a monthly exchange list.

This is to be circulated free through the county, to all farmers who desire it. No charge will be made for printing exchange notices.

Again Flood Flanders

Inundation Near Dix Mude. Much Artillery in North

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The communique today follows: "There was a lively cannonading from Nieupoort to south of Ypres, both armies using artillery. Aix Noullette was violently bombarded by the German forces."

HUMOR SAYS KRUPT'S FACTORY WAS BOMBED. United Press Service. THE HAGUE, Dec. 3.—It is rumored that hostile aviators yesterday dropped bombs on the Krupt factory. It is reported that some of the bombs hit a cannon shed and caused considerable damage.

BASKETBALL BUG HITS THE SCHOOL

BIG SQUAD OF BOYS OUT FOR PRACTICE—GIRLS WILL ALSO ORGANIZE A TEAM, AND MAY MAKE A TOUR

Now that the football bugs have been relegated to the woodshed for the year, students of Klamath County High School have turned their entire attention to basketball.

Nearly all of last year's players have graduated. Besides Captain Paul Noel, the following are out for places: Page, Graves, McMillan, Blieger, Hill, O'Loughlin, Kiehl, Motzenbacher, Orem, Prather, Stewart, Sparks, Beals, Everett, Sanderson and Houston and practice is being held daily at the skating rink.

The Alumni of the high school is planning to play some games with the team, to give them practice. Besides these games, Merrill is anxious for a game, and games are to be played with the Ashland, Medford, Central Point and Grants Pass high school quintets, both here and over there.

Organization of a girl's basketball quintet is another matter that is now under way. This team, if it develops sufficient playing ability, will meet the Rogue River Valley girls' teams in preliminary games before the boys' contests.

Here From Algona. E. J. Grant, manager of the Algona Lumber company, is in the county seat attending to business matters.

Some of the large dress manufacturers in New York, in whose factories a considerable amount of draping must be done, find that their bills for pins frequently run as high as \$1,500 a year.

The French war office estimates only two men are killed out of every 100 hit. The penetration is so clean that one soldier did not know he had been hit for three hours, and another bullet went through two soldiers and lodged in a cavalryman's saddle.

Octagon House, Where President Madison Signed Treaty of Ghent



This is the Octagon House, Washington, occupied by President Madison 100 years ago when he signed the treaty of Ghent, which was followed by 100 years of peace between the United States and Great Britain. In the last war with Great Britain the White House was burned, and the president had to seek other quarters.

A Diary of a Half a Day With Austria's Soldiers Opposing the Russian Army Before Przemysl

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NOTE—The following remarkable story is a record of half a day's actual happenings on the Austrian line, twelve miles in front of Przemysl, as witnessed by an American newspaper correspondent.

PRZEMYSL, Austria, Oct. 29.—(By mail to New York)—(Passed by censor)—Napoleon never fought like the Austrians and Russians are fighting on this huge battle line.

But for 200 miles to the left of us and for 200 miles to the right this afternoon this same sort of a battle is going on. Here and there, along the front today, the Russian infantry and the Austrian infantry will come into clashes as one or the other tries to reach a battery of the enemy that seems to have weakened, and then you'll have the sort of battle that Napoleon knew about and fought—only a "ballet" in this twentieth century.

There is a man sitting 150 miles away, behind us, who knows every moment of the time just what is going on along the whole vast line, just as the battery commandant with us when we were talking here knows all that is going on at the edge of his six-gun fan.



and welcomes us. "Maybe we will be ordered to fire soon," he says. He leads up to a hole in the ground. Looking through the entrance we see that the cave is straw-lined. Inside sits a man wearing a telephone head-piece. He yells a series of numbers to the commandant, who stands beside us. A hundred feet ahead of us are situated six howitzers.

move the cannon on its wheels into a new direction. Then other men with instruments for measuring elevation tilt the howitzer to the proper angle.

Suddenly all the men rush away from the hole in which the gun stands. One man picks up a rope from the ground. It's the trigger rope. He stands twenty feet behind the piece and waits. Every man stands with his hands over his ears.

"Fire!" orders the commandant. Above the tremendous explosion there is a screech that pierces your eardrums. This fades away into a tremendous swish, which echoes and repeats itself more and more faintly for about twenty seconds.

1:25 p. m.—On the other side of the road, half a mile away, is a second battery. We go over there. On the way we find two boys digging a hole in a field. "There are two dead men of cholera in that house," they say. They have a wooden cross made roughly of two sticks on the ground beside the hole.

2:05 p. m.—The second battery is working like the first. They are the same size howitzers. Early this morning, before daylight, a Russian shrapnel shell "found" them. They show us the hole in the earth. It is four feet deep and twelve feet in diameter.

RENNENKAMPF IS BLAMED FOR LOSS

VERA CRUZ AGAIN TO SEE FIGHTING. United Press Service. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—State department advices say that the combined Villista and Zapalita armies are expected to attack Vera Cruz next week.

RUSSIAN COMMANDER GETS RELIEVED OF BURDEN OF THE COMMAND. Failure to Arrive With Troops When the Germans Were Trapped is the Big Complaint—German Officers Worry Russia.

ELKS MEMORIAL PROGRAM IS SET

TWO JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT ARE SCHEDULED TO SPEAK AT SUNDAY'S LODGE OBSERVANCE

J. E. Bodge, F. R. Olds and Allen Sloan, in charge of arrangements for the memorial services of Klamath Lodge No. 1247, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, have completed all arrangements for Sunday's observance.

The program arranged follows: Memorial Address Opening Ode—"Great Ruler of the Universe" Prayer—Chaplain of the Lodge W. O. Smith

SLED FOR KID TICKET SELLER

FLEXIBLE FLYER PURCHASED BY ELDER HARLAN WILL GO TO THE YOUNGSTER SELLING THE MOST TICKETS

Tickets to the "Wedding of Tom Thumb" at the Christian church tomorrow night are to be placed on sale this evening. They are to be sold

United Press Service. VIENNA, Dec. 3.—Today's statement from the war office says: "In Western Galicia and in East Poland there was comparative quiet yesterday."

The Russian attack northwest of Wolbrom was repulsed. "The battles on the plains west of Nowa-Radomsk and Lodz are developing favorably to the Teuton allies."

LYTLE WILL GIVE LECTURES IN CO.

PREVALENCE OF FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE CALLS DR. KNOWLES BACK TO ACTIVE SERVICE—DATES THE SAME

State Veterinarian Lytle will conduct the hog cholera lectures and serum demonstrations in Klamath county instead of Dr. Knowles. The latter has been called back East to help in his fight against the foot and mouth disease.

The lectures and demonstrations will be given on the dates arranged, according to County Agriculturist Galsyer.

Dead Brought to Life

Claims of Los Angeles Physicians Astound Savants

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 3.—The entire medical world is taking great interest in the claims of Doctors C. S. Hutchinson and P. M. Williams, well known practitioners of this city, who assert that they brought Mrs. Walter B. Akers back to life, after she had been dead for ten minutes.

Dr. Williams, it is claimed, reached through an incision in the abdomen, and grasped her heart, which he manipulated gently, while at the same time Dr. Hutchinson worked to restore respiration.