

CITY IS BEING SCoured, RAKED TODAY BY KIDS

SCHOOL WAS DISMISSED THIS AFTERNOON

Cans, Bottles, Etc., Are Being Gathered Up and Piled Near Sidewalk to Be Carted to Final Resting Place in City Dump Heap, and Boxes Are Destroying Other Rubbish That Has Accumulated.

There are a lot of busy kiddies today, cleaning and raking up yards. This is Clean-Up Day, and in order to make Klamath Falls "Spotless Town," the schools were dismissed this afternoon that the rubbish might be disposed of.

Why so much activity on the part of the kids? Because there is a ticket to either the Star or the Temple for each youngster who helps clean up his home yard. These are donated by John Houston, "King of the Kids," to make the clean-up effort more than just one of civic pride.

In all parts of the city the work of cleaning up premises and putting them in shape has been going forward for several weeks. Cans, bottles, etc., are poured into sacks, barrels and boxes, and are piled at the sidewalk lines that they may be gathered up and hauled to the garbage heap, and the parts of the lots which were once cluttered are now spaded and planted, in many cases, to garden.

Mayor Nicholas designated today and tomorrow as official clean-up days. The city has secured teams, which will make the rounds of the residence district, and haul out of view all rubbish that is placed in receptacles near the property line for quick hauling.

MERRILL TO SEND DELEGATION ALSO

From Merrill comes word that when delegations from Klamath, Modoc and Siskiyou counties meet in conference at the Stronghold in the Lava Beds to discuss a road through that scenic and historic region connecting the three counties, Merrill will be represented by a bunch of live ones. The Merrills will meet the Klamath and Siskiyou delegations when they leave here April 22 for the Lava Beds, and journey to the Stronghold with them to join the waiting Modoc county delegation.

Owing to the fact that Captain J. C. Rutenic is called to Grants Pass on business, W. T. Lee has been named in his stead on the Klamath county committee. Lee is an active rustler and a good road enthusiast.

There are over 300 women architects in the United States.

ARMOUR SAYS UNIONS NOT NECESSARY

CHICAGO, April 16.—Ogden Armour, head of a great packing industry, was examined today by the members of the federal committee on industrial relations. He was chiefly asked as to his views regarding unions and about the condition of his employes.

Armour gave it as his opinion that trade and industrial unions are entirely unnecessary.

He insisted that he has the welfare of his employes and their families much at heart. He admitted in answers to questions, though, that he

AUSTRIANS CLAIM THEY ANNIHILATED RUSSIANS IN CARPATHIAN FIGHTS

United Press Service VIENNA, April 16.—Today's official statement says: "The most gigantic battle in the history of the world resulted in the complete defeat of the Russians attempting to cross the Carpathians and invade Hungary. "After four weeks of the most desperate fighting, in which 2,500,000 men participated, the climax was reached several days ago. The Russian offensive was repulsed with most appalling losses to the enemy."

MALIN KIDDIES HERE ON JAUNT

FORTY YOUNGSTERS BROUGHT HERE FROM THE BOHEMIAN VILLAGE VIA AUTO TRUCK BY LIVE MERCHANT

Today is some day for the forty youngsters from the Malin school, for coming to town in the big auto truck operated by A. Kallma, Malin's live merchant, they are seeing the sights and enjoying themselves hugely. They brought along their lunches, too, and a picnic was a part of the program.

This is the last day of a successful term of school at Malin. As a treat, the youngsters were brought to Klamath Falls, in charge of Miss Charlotte Evans of the teaching corps, and other ladies of that district. They visited the grammar schools and high school here this afternoon, and in other ways made the day one long to be remembered. A visit to the moving picture show was made late in the afternoon.

Public Golf Links Open

NEW YORK, April 16.—Gotham's three big public golf links were opened today, with tournaments and other appropriate exercises. The Van Cortland Park, Moshulu and Pelham courses are said to be among the finest links in the world.

Equine Bloodhounds on Parade

NEW YORK, April 16.—The 23d annual horse show at Brooklyn opens its doors tonight, with prominent horse fanciers filling the stalls. There will be competitions in 52 classes. The exhibition will close Saturday night.

Havre De Grace Races Open

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md.—The real 1915 spring racing season of the north opened today at the Havre De Grace tracks, with a big attendance of track followers from Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington present. The inaugural handicap was the big feature of today's card.

New Mayor of Chicago



William Hale Thompson, Republican, was elected mayor of Chicago by a very large plurality. Most political sharps thought Robert M. Sweitzer, Democrat, backed by Roger Sullivan, would win. The statement has been made that the women voted for Thompson two to one. If they did—that is what elected him.

Mayor-elect Thompson was born in Boston in 1868 and was brought to Chicago by his parents the following year. In a biographical sketch, which he issued prior to the election, he

stated that as a boy he sold newspapers and later went to Wyoming and worked as a cowboy and a brakeman. He received much of his education in the public schools and later entered Yale University.

He is a dealer in real estate, having succeeded to the business of his father, who left a large estate. Mr. Thompson is also known as a yachtsman and formerly was captain of the Chicago Athletic Association football team. Thompson served several terms in the city council and also as county commissioner.

FRENCH WOMEN REBUILD HOUSES

SOCIETY IS FORMED BY WOMEN TO REFURNISH THE HOMES DESTROYED DURING BATTLES OF PRESENT WAR

PARIS, April 16.—(By mail to New York)—While the French government itself has undertaken the rebuilding of the thousands of homes destroyed in the present war, the women of France have just completed an organization to insure their refurnishing. The population in the invaded districts, they assert, will be as helpless to refurnish the homes as they would be to rebuild them.

The "Union Fraternelle des Femmes" is the organization which has just perfected the project. Madame Amelie Hammer, the president, has just explained to the United Press what is to be undertaken and how it is to be accomplished. "Our work," she said, "is to be as much moral as it is social. We propose merely to help the unfortunate and not to give them charity. Every person whose home has been destroyed and who is unable to refurnish the new one which the government builds for them will have help from us in just the degree they need.

"If absolutely imperative, we will furnish their homes without expectation of repayment. But the others will pay us back in installments in conformity with their possibilities.

"While it is inevitable that Paris will be the center and brain of this work and this organization, we have already perfected the details for other centers to participate in it. In all of the provinces adjacent to the invaded districts we have arranged for at least one city to be a depot for supplying the furnishings to the new houses. This will give a quicker response to the needs of the destroyed villages and isolated houses, and will also result in a distribution of the work that will be involved in the manufacture of the household necessities."

TUBERCULOSIS REMEDIES FAKE

NONE OF PATENT PREPARATIONS TESTED BY U. S. EXPERTS HAVE ANY PROPERTIES FOR CURING DREAD DISEASE

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—After investigating under the Food and Drugs Act, a large number of preparations advertised as consumption cures, the Department of Agriculture has not been able to discover any that can in any sense be regarded as "cures" for tuberculosis. Some contain drugs that may at times afford temporary relief from the distressing symptoms of the disease, but this is all. Since the passage of federal legislation prohibiting the shipment of interstate commerce of medical preparations for which false and fraudulent claims are made, there has a marked tendency to label these preparations "remedies" instead of "cures" or "infallible cures" as they used to be called. In many cases, however, they can not even be regarded as remedies.

Kansas Clean-Up Day

TOPEKA, Kans., April 16.—Today is fire prevention and clean-up day in Kansas, by proclamation of Governor Arthur Capper.

Maine vs. New Hampshire

DURHAM, N. H., April 16.—Maine University's baseball team today will clash on the diamond with the New Hampshire State University.

Grain Dealers Convention

OMAHA, Neb., April 16.—The Western Grain Dealers' Association, comprising prominent grainmen of Iowa and Nebraska, today opened a two days' convention here.

The American man's tobacco bill last year was \$1,200,000,000.

ALDRICH DIES THIS MORNING

FATHER OF PAYNE-ALDRICH TARIFF BILL, AND REPUBLICAN LEADER FOR THIRTY YEARS, EXPIRES IN EAST

NEW YORK, April 16.—Nelson W. Aldrich, United States Senator from Rhode Island for thirty years, and father of the famous Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, died suddenly this morning at his home here. His health had been poor for several weeks, but his condition was not thought serious.

Aldrich was 74 years of age, being born in Foster, Rhode Island, in 1841. Making the best of scant opportunities, Aldrich worked with success in various activities until the civil war, during which he served. After the war he entered politics in Rhode Island, taking a prominent part in the legislature, and being speaker of the house several terms.

In 1878, Aldrich was elected to congress, and re-elected two years later. He resigned in 1881 to go to the senate, and until his retirement in 1911, Aldrich was one of the foremost champions and workers that ever espoused the cause of the republican party.

With Seneca O. Payne, congressman from New York, Senator Aldrich drafted the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, which was passed by congress and used as the national schedule of duties under the protective policies of the republican party until the adoption of the Underwood tariff revision bill.

GERMAN AIRMEN BOMB BRITAIN

AMSTERDAM, April 16.—It is reported that Count Zeppelin, accompanied by several huge Zeppelins, have reached Cuxhaven. It is believed that they are preparing for a direct attack upon London.

The German airmen are extremely active. This morning three dirigibles participated in a raid upon Essex and Suffolk. A woman and a girl were reported killed and the property loss is £150,000. One Zeppelin invaded to a point within eleven miles of London.

A great aerial raid upon London is expected soon, as the result of several small invasions. The aviation commanders have been summoned to meet with the admiralty in a conference regarding the best method of defense.

The authorities are already taking steps to resist any further attacks. Special constables will patrol the outskirts, ever on the alert for airplanes. A Chatham dispatch states that a German aeroplane dropped bombs in Faversham and Sittingbourne this afternoon. British aviators pursued and repulsed the attacking craft.

There was no damage caused by these attacks. Three British aviators from Sittingbourne pursued, and the airships exchanged many shots in a thrilling battle far above the city.

SHERNESS, England, April 16.—A German monoplane passed here this afternoon. The aero guns fired at the visitor, and when it dipped slightly, as though hit, the crowds in the street cheered wildly. The machine recovered its balance, however, and escaped.

PARIS, April 16.—A Taube last night dropped seven bombs upon Calais. One civilian was slightly hurt.

BERLIN, April 16.—It is announced that French aviators bombarded Friedberg, killing two men and four children and wounding ten.

HIGH SCHOOL IS SEEKING GAMES

PRACTICE SOUGHT BY MEMBERS OF K. C. H. S. SQUAD—FIELDING IS GOOD, BUT STICKWORK IS VERY WEAK

Games are wanted by the Klamath County High School baseball squad. Games with a ball team of any sort, as practice for both teams will be welcome, according to Coach Moteschbacher, who is whipping a team together.

This afternoon the high school boys are cleaning up Modoc Park for playing condition. Later in the day they may play a nine formed by members of the 1914 Klamath Falls team. While there are several deficiencies to be filled or improved, there are some boys out for place on the high school team who play with ginger and speed, especially in fielding. In batting there is much room for improvement.

Later in the season, games may be played with Medford, Ashland and Grants Pass high schools. It is believed that the trip will be made in autos.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH FOR MT. LASSEN

FAMOUS MOUNTAIN NOW WORKING ON SCHEDULE TIME, AND THROWS IN A FEW EXTRAS FOR GOOD MEASURE

REDDING, April 16.—The eighty-eighth eruption of Mount Lassen occurred at 4 o'clock this morning, the same hour as yesterday morning. There was also a spectacular eruption last night.

The British army dates, as a standing force, from the restoration of Charles II. in 1660.

REGISTRATION IS BELOW 1914 MARK

CLOSING OF THE BOOKS LAST NIGHT WAS MADE AFTER 1,125 PEOPLE HAD BECOME QUALIFIED TO BALLOT

There are 450 less people registered for the city election to be held May 3 than there were for the 1914 city election. The registration books at Police Judge Leavitt's office, which were closed last night, show that there are 1,125 persons registered.

Of this number 373 are women and 752 are men. By wards the total registration is:

Table with 2 columns: Ward, Registration. First Ward 135, Second Ward 317, Third Ward 365, Fourth Ward 110, Fifth Ward 103.

San Francisco has thirty-two women deputy election assessors.

ROGERS TRIAL IS POSTPONED

MAN WHO WROTE INTERESTING LETTERS TO GRAND JURY WILL HAVE A HEARING NEXT MONDAY MORNING

LOS ANGELES, April 16.—Judge Wood this morning postponed until Monday morning the arraignment of Sebastian Earl Rogers on an indictment charging him with sending an intimidating letter to the grand jury.

HUNNY RALLIES AND HAS CHANCE TO LIVE

NEW YORK, April 16.—After the doctors today announced that there was no hope whatever for him, John Bunny, motion picture actor, defied fate this afternoon, and his physicians now expect his recovery.

BAR VISITORS FROM BIRD ISLANDS NOW

Until the eggs are hatched and the young birds are sufficiently matured to in a measure look out for themselves, visitors will not be allowed in Lower Klamath Lake bird preserve, where annually thousands of pelicans, herons, grebes, cranes, cormorants spend the breeding, nesting and hatching season. Warden J. J. Furber received a letter to this effect today from H. H. Henshaw, chief of the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture.

In the past, visitors to the bird islands have involuntarily caused the death of hundreds of young birds every season. Some of this was due to frightening the old birds from their nests, and causing the eggs to chill. Another cause was from frightening the old birds away when the little ones needed their protection from the rays of the sun, etc.

As the birds grow stronger, though, visitors will be allowed, possibly in June. Announcement of the proper time to begin visits will be made by Furber. It is advisable for parties contemplating visiting the bird reserves to see Mr. Furber, as the biological survey forbids parties visiting there unless the warden is in the reserve.

Mr. Henshaw's letter follows: "You will permit no visitors to go on the nesting grounds of the pelicans until the eggs are hatched and the young birds are old enough so that no loss will be caused by the birds being temporarily driven from the nests. Visitors are not to be permitted to go on the islands until Sunday and Monday, if possible, but on other days may be allowed to visit the reserves if convenient for the purpose of observing them, but not otherwise."