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AMERICA AND RUSSIA.

It must have struck the Russian council of ministers with peculiar force when Mr. Root reminded them that he represented a "democratic republic" whose ruler was chosen by 18,000,000 voters "freely cast and fairly counted, pursuant to law, by universal, equal, direct and secret suffrage."

Our envoy upheld no claims of perfection. But he drove home the main fact: "With many shortcomings, many mistakes, many imperfections, we have still maintained order and respect for law, individual freedom and national independence."

Mr. Root has begun auspiciously as an interpreter of free and orderly America to free and disorderly Russia. He has clinched his presentation of American ideals by telling the Russians: "We have already begun to fight for your freedom equally with our own, and we ask you to fight for our freedom equally with yours."

Recent reports from Russia are more hopeful. The great Slav nation may turn again and fight our common enemy, thereby rendering our own task far easier. It may save itself from anarchy. How much of the new trend is due to the American envoy and his associates we cannot tell.

LAND GRANT OPENING.

Referring to the soon expected opening of the California & Oregon railroad lands, recently reverting to the government through congressional action and United States supreme court decision, the Oregon Journal has the following to say this morning, and as the matter is of pertinent interest to Douglas county, we quote:

"The last obstruction to the opening of the grant lands save one was cleared away when the Benn bill got its death warrant. The only thing now in the way is the authority to be obtained from congress for the government to pay accrued interest on the back taxes due grant land counties.

"This requisite is provided for in a bill which Senator Chamberlain is pushing through congress. When it is passed the date of the opening can be fixed and formal advertisements announcing the event be published throughout the country.

"In Douglas county, they are expecting that 50,000 persons will look over the lands there with a view to making selections. The allotments for settlers will be appealing. Hundreds of fine tracts of land will go to home builders at but a fraction of

its value. Besides agricultural land, there are fine bodies of timber on many quarter sections, worth far more than the \$2.50 per acre at which the land goes to actual settlers. On some, there are small bodies of cedar and spruce worth \$4 a thousand or more in the stump."

WILL CALL COAST ARTILLERY AUG. 5

PORTLAND, Ore., June 27.—Arrangements for the mobilization of the Oregon coast artillery on August 5, at which time it is to be taken into the federal service, were completed yesterday at a conference of company commanders of the organization and George A. White, adjutant-general.

The conference began the day previous, but all details were not decided upon to the satisfaction of all until yesterday.

The company officers attending the conference were Lieutenant Spencer, in command of the first company, at Astoria; Captain Huntley, second company, Eugene; Captain Van Svarvard, third company, Eugene; Captain Buchanan, fourth company, Roseburg; Captain Knox, fifth company, Albany; Captain Woods, sixth company, Cottage Grove; Captain Vance, seventh company, Medford; Lieutenant Stretcher, eighth company, Portland; Captain Jeffries, ninth company, Astoria; Captain Johnson, tenth company, Tillamook; Captain Gettings, eleventh company, Marshfield, and Captain Wilbur, twelfth company, Hood River.

General White will have every detail ready for the rapid mobilization of the Oregon coast artillery and other national guard organizations, just as he arranged the successful mobilization of the third Oregon. There wasn't a hitch at that time, and there will not be a hitch to mar the perfect record of the Oregon national guard at the coming mobilization.

MASON'S ATTENTION.

Regular meeting of Laurel Lodge No. 13, A. F. & A. M. tonight, Third degree. Examination 7 o'clock.

W. F. HARRIS, Secretary.

RIDDLE PEOPLE GIVE TO RED CROSS WORK

Among the towns deserving mention of the response to the Red Cross appeal, is Riddle which gave to the war fund the sum of \$500. The committee at that place have been active throughout the entire week and their excellent results were obtained chiefly through a house to house canvass.

In Riddle there was one outstanding feature—everybody gave. There were no slackers and no one gave exceptionally large gifts, but practically everyone whose financial condition was such as to enable them to do so, gave something to the cause. This is more desired than large gifts, for it is known that those who have the giving spirit are always ready to respond in a time when their assistance is needed.

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned wish to express their sincere thankfulness to all those who in any way sought to extend aid and comfort during the last illness and recent death of Claire Blodgett.

A. D. BRADLEY, MRS. JESSIE McREYNOLDS, MRS. ANNA MYERS, MRS. LILLIAN RYAN.

T. B. DAVIS, of the Commercial Bank, of Oakland, was a business visitor in the city for a few hours today.

Live-wire Doings of City

Is Given Appointment. Deputy Sheriff T. A. Raffety was yesterday appointed by County Veterinarian R. E. Hunt as deputy county stock brand inspector.

Motor to Medford. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwartz and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Burdfield motored to Medford Sunday afternoon on a pleasure trip. The party returned to this city Monday and report a splendid time.

Receives Poultry Shipment. The Roseburg Poultry Co. received a large shipment of chickens Tuesday evening from the north and will apply the local trade for some time to come.

Vote Favorable. Superintendent O. C. Brown received another favorable vote from one of the districts concerned in the Elkton Union high school, which practically assures the establishment of the school.

Autos Arrive. Russell Harness, of the Overland agency received a load of cars today. The Overland is one of the most popular cars in the city and a ready sale is expected for the new shipment.

Soldier Very Ill. Comrade Henry Smith, of the Oregon Soldiers' Home, who has been quite ill in the Home hospital, left for Independence, Ore., this morning where he will seek benefit. Mr. Smith is in a serious condition and is not greatly improved.

Invited to Ashland. The Elks lodge of this city, has been invited to join the Ashland Elks in the big roundup celebration parade in Ashland on July 4. Members of the local lodge are as yet undecided as to whether they will participate, but will decide the matter at Thursday night's meeting.

Condition is Critical. Mrs. E. O. Eldridge, mother of Mrs. C. S. Hojaline, of this city, is critically ill in the Portland surgical hospital and her condition steadily grows worse. Mrs. Hojaline is at the bedside of her mother and will remain in Portland until a change is notified.

Departs for Minneapolis. Mrs. E. J. Goumier left this morning for Minneapolis where she will remain two months visiting at the home of her parents. Mrs. Goumier intends to view the many points of interest eastward and is anticipating a splendid summer.

Funeral Held Today. The funeral of the late John E. Johnson, who died Monday, at his home on Stephens street, was held from the Roseburg Undertaking Parlors yesterday at 10 o'clock, the funeral eulogy being spoken by Hon. J. C. Fullerton. Interment followed in the Masonic cemetery.

Chautauqua Signs. Two very attractive chautauqua signs have been placed by the chautauqua committee, one at the corner of Cass and Jackson streets, between the Roseburg National Bank building and the Odd Fellows building and the other on the court house yard.

Visits in Eugene. E. Sidler, a pioneer of Douglas county, was in Eugene Tuesday on his way to Marshfield, says the Eugene Guard. Mr. Sidler took a homestead near Drain in 1876 and has resided there almost continuously ever since, on the same place. He made his last visit to Marshfield in that year, making the trip from Roseburg on foot.

Visits With Parents. Hugh Ritchie, Jr., arrived in Roseburg this morning from American Lake where he is a member of the 8th engineer regiment which is to be sent to France at an early date. Mr. Ritchie will visit for a brief time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ritchie, Sr., of Garden Valley.

Called to Oakland. John Kerlan was called to Oakland this morning by the illness of his son. The boy was injured some time ago by being run over by a wagon and it was thought that he had entirely recovered. He took sick this morning, however, and it was found that he is still suffering from the effects, but it is believed that he will be alright again in a few days.

Will Go to Portland. A number of Medford citizens have been subpoenaed to appear before the federal grand jury in Portland as witnesses, says the Medford Tribune. Chief of Police Hiltson, Police Judge Taylor and Mr. Jarrah, proprietor of the Bonshaw grocery, will testify in the cases of Slick and Collins, the Phoenix post-office burglars captured last week while trying to break into the Riddle postoffice.

Railroad Traced Good. Carl Taylor, traveling passenger agent for the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon was a Roseburg visitor today. Mr. Taylor is the successor of Mr. Jenkins, who occupied this position for so many years, but who was recently promoted to the advertising department of the company. According to Mr. Taylor there is no lack of activity in all lines of endeavor throughout the state, and the S. P. is busy preparing to handle the immense business that flows just ahead and passenger traffic is excellent now.

RECITALS FRIDAY NIGHT

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the pupils of Miss Mabel Van Buren's music classes will give a recital at the Presbyterian church. The public is cordially invited to attend. 129

Will Drive Down Cars. W. A. Burr and son, Earl, left last night for Portland where they will purchase a couple of Durr cars and will drive them to this city.

Expects Shipment of Buicks. A. B. Bradley, the Buick agent, of this city, is expecting a shipment of machines today or tomorrow. The new Buicks are very pretty and are especially fine this year.

Will Arrive Friday. Mrs. Gust Edlund and son, Halmar, will arrive in Roseburg Friday and will visit until Monday when they will go to the Ashland roundup. Mrs. Edlund formerly resided in Roseburg, having moved to Portland only very recently.

Ten Mile Visitor. C. H. Campbell, of Ten Mile, was a business visitor in Roseburg yesterday. His little granddaughter, Dorothy Campbell, who has been seriously ill, and under the care of a doctor, has entirely recovered. Mr. Campbell reports the Ten Mile valley flourishing, but would be greatly benefitted by a good rain.

Spent Summer at Coquille. Ed. Ware, who with his brother is operating the Overland Auto Stage to Coos county points, took his wife and three children to Coquille, this morning, where they expect to spend the greater part of the summer. They have taken a house in that county. Mrs. Ware was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Jones, who will remain there for several weeks, it being hoped that the change of climate will improve her health.

Accident on Roberts Mountain. A traveling man representing a prominent cigar house, experienced an auto accident on Roberts mountain last night when he dismounted to repair the brakes. He stopped the car without turning towards the bank and then got out to make minor repairs, when the machine decided to continue in its course and rolled over the cliff. It lodged in the trees about 25 feet from the road in a badly bent and broken condition.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. Phone 15F21. 148-1f

FOR SALE—8-room house and lot, cheap. Inquire 603 S. Stephens St. 318B

FOR SALE—Dry oak wood, \$7 per cord, sawed and delivered. Phone 180-L. 306-1f

FOR SALE—If you are going to have a public sale, get your bills printed at The News office. 1f

FOR SALE—Smart team and harness for sale. For particulars see Allen Wilson, Green station 37P

FOR SALE—Broccoli plants. Inquire 114 N. Front. G. W. Kezartes. 287-112

FOR SALE—Practically new No. 2 Sharpies suction feed cream separator at big discount. Inquire R. Wood, News office. 1f

FOR SALE—A five-passenger touring car. Just overhauled, in good condition. A dandy buy. See Walter, The Motor Shop. 255-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good condition 3-ton truck, or will trade for good team. Inquire I. Harrabon, or phone 6P11. 225-128

BROCCOLI PLANTS FOR SALE—Grown from best imported seed only. I. Harrabon, West Roseburg. Phone 6P11. 269-1f

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, thoroughbred, Mitchell buggy, tan harness. E. C. Benson, Dundas National Bank Bldg. 251-1f

FOR SALE—Cabbage and cauliflower plants for sale. H. B. Church, 318 E. Commercial avenue, North Roseburg. Phone 253. 54-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Team of horses, harness and 3 1/2 wagon for good Ford car. Inquire John Rogers, Looking Glass, Or. 24621

FORDS FOR SALE—2 good used Fords just overhauled and in good condition, at \$225 and \$250. Also several touring car bodies Ford Garage. 73-1f

FOR SALE—Good business, including good work team, \$100 will handle it, or will trade for used Ford car. Address I. M. News office. 205-1f

BROCCOLI GROWERS—See us before buying plants. Will have a surplus from both imported and domestic seed. Foster Bitner, Roseburg Gardens. Phone 40P11. 224-1f

ENJOY CITY LIFE—For short time will offer fine Roseburg property for small stock ranch. Parties with trade in mind will do well to investigate. Address Owner, care News. 304-1f

FOR SALE—We have a few desirable farm mortgage loans for sale, yielding a good rate of income. If you have any idle funds for investment call and let us explain these to you. Rice & Rice. 1517-1f

FOR SALE—740 acre stock ranch, consider good small place as payment, easy terms. E. A. Dalverson, Oakland, Ore. 331-325

FOR SALE—Offer my residence property in Roseburg for sale at a reasonable figure. W. E. Clingenpeel, Looking Glass, Or. 161-1f

FOR SALE—On terms. Stop contributing to the landlord's prosperity. Buy a house for wife and kiddies. Ten lots, fine trees, fruit, small house, delightful location, near pavement, \$750. Worth \$1500. Address News No. 393.

FOR SALE—Lot 50x150 with small house at a bargain price. Fine creek bottom soil, inside city limits; finest garden spot in city, fruit trees and berries. Good place for cows and chickens. Address A. M. Oeland, 751 Fleser street, Roseburg. 173-1f

FARM LANDS.

THE GOVERNMENT needs farmers as well as fighters. Two million, three hundred thousand acres of Oregon & California Railroad Co. grant lands. Title vested in the United States. To be opened for homesteads and sale. Containing some of the best land left in United States. Large copyrighted map, showing land by sections and descriptions of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature, etc., by counties. Postpaid one dollar. Grant Lands Locating Co., box 619, Portland, Ore. 313-221

WANTED.

WANTED—Short order and pastry cook at the Grand Restaurant. 302-1f

WANTED—550 ft. of good second hand pipe either 3-4 or 1-inch. M. M. Cooper, Roseburg. 319-320

WANTED—A reliable middle aged man to work around Mercy hospital. 234-1f

WANTED—Married man to work on fruit ranch. Permanent position for right party. Phone 28F3. 250-1f

CHERRIES WANTED—We will buy all your salable Royal Anne cherries, and furnish containers and pay cash for same on delivery. Drager Fruit Co., Roseburg, Oregon. 286-1f

WANTED—Man of experience and ability to teach small country school; excellent references required. Salary \$70 to \$80. Apply Co. Supt. O. C. Brown for particulars. 317-1f

WANTED—To trade a couple of Durham cows for fresh Jersey heifers. Also for sale small chunky mare, will foal next month, \$45. John Meister, Mountain House Ranch. 310-113

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, modern, Phon 454-R, or inquire 547 S. Stephens. 261-1f

FOR RENT—100 acres pasture, full growth grass, J. M. Moore, Rt. 1, Box 75. 324-125

FOR RENT—Six room modern house, good location, paved street. Phone 15P12. 340-1f

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house, new garage; North Jackson street. Inquire News, or phone 199-R. 233-1f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with use of bath and phone, \$5 to \$8 per month. 247 South Jackson, or phone 41-R. 316-1f

FOR RENT—By the year or otherwise, well furnished house, new garage, large garden; fruit, berries, etc., 611 S. Main street, E. H. Rosenberry. 282-1f

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GOOD TRADE—A house and two big lots for good team and harness. Phone 8E3, or inquire at News office. 184-1f

WELL DRILLING—See me for that new well, the only well that is polywag proof. W. E. Kernin, City. 298-118

MORTGAGE LOANS—We have insurance money on the rural credit plan—20-year loans on improved farms. See Rice & Rice. 1517-1f

WE WRITE INSURANCE whereby the assured gets the most protection for the money. Expert advice given on any line of insurance. Rice & Rice. 1517-1f

WE HAVE a few thousand dollars local money to loan on good farm security, three to five years. Also money for stock loans. If interested call or write us. Rice & Rice. See M. F. Rice. 274-1f

THE PACIFIC BUILDING & LOAN Association is making loans on city property. Should you desire a loan on your home or business property you should take the matter up with us. Liberal long time loans and a good investment. Rice & Rice. See M. F. Rice. 273-1f

WAR, WAR, WAR—See Pat, not about the German war, but about prices on mill work, door and window frames, all kinds of cement work. Houses built, moved or repaired. Also have some snap bargains in real estate. Better list with us if you want to sell. F. V. Patterson, City. 206-1f

WE WILL LOAN YOU MONEY—20 year rural credit farm loans. Farmers desiring loans on the amortized plan without red tape and no commission charges, can secure them at low interest rate by calling on or writing to Rice & Rice, Roseburg, Oregon, financial representatives of The Agricultural Credit Corporation of Ore-

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"We must all speak, act and serve together."—President Wilson.

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