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enta Rosa Citizens Take Wretches from Jail and Execute Them.

ANT OAK IS SCAFFOLD

Visited on Men Believed Guilty of Numerous Crimes Sheriff Overpowered.

MINTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. 10... geance swift and sure was visited a three men here last night shortchefr own hands and Catella a for a life" from George Boyd, came Fitts and Charles Valento, used with the murder of Sheriff a A Petray and two assistants, ettres Miles M. Jackson and Leatte Miles M. Jackson and Leatte Miles M. Sunday. The Boyes and his conditions, and gifte cell keys from the officers as quietly proceeded to the cors, compeling the cowering prise, to accompany them to waiting lims, into which they were poly bundled and transported. med to have been placed conby for their purpose, the hang

of the mob quickly threw new in ropes. Clad only in their un-lates, the three terror stricken deen were carried to the spot, and without ceremony rere swung into eternity, of the automobiles lightin be plan cridently laid by the de-crained citizens of Santa Rosa to such the murderers at once.

Growers are Urged To Grow Filberts

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Musical Concert

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The Polication city last night the Shirle concert at the Armory unassessment was not as well attended as could be desired, although these present were most appreciative. tended as could be desired, although those presnt were most appreciative and thoroughly enjoyed each number. A varied program of classical and popular features was offered Miss Florence Ray, the soloist, proved to be a favorite with a repertoire of such well known late ballads as "Let the Rest of the World Roll By" and "Hinwatha's Melody of Love." Miss Ray also gave several humorous readings which received much laughter and applause. Following the musical program the floor was cleared and the Shirleys played for a jitney dance until midnight. The floor was crowded for the dance, and the music was exceptionally good.

Special Casket for Sacramento Joe

According to word from Sacramento relatives of J. H. Krebeck (Sacramento Joe) are having a hard time making funeral arrangements. Sacramento Joe was in Roseburg during the Strawberry Carnival last spring, and is well known to many Douglas county people. He weighed 640 pounds, and died Wednesday while on two operating tables being made ready for an operation to remove 100 pounds of fat in an effort to prolong his life.

A special casket with twelve handles is being built. It will be six feet, six inches long, two feet deep and 32 inches wide, big enough to hold the bodies of four men of ordinary size.

The funeral director figures that he will be unable to get the casket

he will be unable to get the casket into any chapel, so the funeral will be held in the hallway of his estab-

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Sacramento has no hearse big enough to hold the casket. A casket wagon has been secured.

For several weeks Sacramento Joe has been so fat that he was helpless, and slept almost 24 hours a day. He was 44 years old.

Lane County Mills Make Cut in Wages

EUGENE, Dec. 10.—A number of the leading mill men of Lane county the leading mill men of Lane county today announce a cut in the wages of employes—an action that has been anticipated for several weeks past. The Alsea River Lumber company has compromised with the employes at Glenbrook on a reduction of ten per cent. The Pischer mills at Marcola and Meredith will make a cut of fifty cents a day from the old rate of wages, and a similar cut is reported from the Coast Range Lumber company at Mabel. The mills at Cottage Grove are reported as making a company at Mabel. The mills at Cottage Grove are reported as making a flat reduction of 20 per cent throughout their working force. No reduction has been announced by the Booth-Keily Lumber company, the question being laid over to the January meeting of the Loyal Legion. These reductions are merely a matter of placing the operators in a little better position, it is stated, for if there was a reduction of 25 per cent it is claimed that many of the plants would operate at a loss under present conditions.

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Rending Out Men to Aid Income Taxpayers.

TIME LIMIT IS

Blanks Will Be Obtainable at Local Postoffice After Jan. 1.—Returns Must Be in Before March 15 .-So Prepare them Early.

Extensive plans for alding taxpayers in filing their income tax returns for the year 1920 are being made by the Bureau of internal Revenue. Revenue officers will visit eevery county in the United States to assist in making out the forms. The date of their arrival and the location of their offices will be announced through the press, or may be obtained on inquiry at offices of of collectors of internal revenue and branch offices. The services of govietnment experts heretofore offered to city residents will be continued. Forms for filing 1920 returns on income will be sent by collectors to incernal revenue, however, does not relieve a person from his obligation to file a return within the time prescribed. Copies may be obtained from offices, or of collectors of internal revenue, branch offices, postoffices and banks, and are expected to be available on or before January 1.

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Revenue officers assigned to work of assisting taxpayers also will be supplied with forms, concerning which, and the various itens of income to be included, they will be prepared to answer any and all questions. It has been demonstated, however, that many questions may be eliminated if the taxpayer, before seeking the assistance of a revenue officer, will carefully study the instructions on the form.

The period for filing returns is

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The period for filing returns is from January 1 to March 15, 1921. The tax, this year as last, may be paid in full at the time of filing the return or in four installments, the first of which is due on or before March 15, the second on or before June 15, the third on or before June 15, the third on or before September 15 and the fourth on or before December 15. The first installment must accompany the filing of the return. of the return,

Persons whose individual net in-come for 1920 was \$5,000 and less should ask for Form 1940 A. Those whose individual net income was in excess of \$5,000 should ask for Form 1940.

Form 1040.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue is urging taxpayers not to delay in the filling of their returns. Merchants and business men are casting up their accounts for the calendaryear 1920. With the facts and figures necessary to make a correct return fresh in their minds, the making out of a form soon after January 1 will be an easier task, the bureau points out, than if delayed.

The requirements of the revenue

Was Very Good FORMS ARE READY EUROPE UNLOADING BELL DISCREDITS FOR TAX RETURN ITS UNDESIRABLES

Foreign Governments are Financing Movement.

With Immigration Bill Out of Way the House Will Start In On Disposal of Obselete Legislation Before It.

come available at certain designated ports.

Trust Busting Suit Up.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—A reopening of the government's antitrust suit aninst the International Harvester Co., and the insitution of proceedings against a number of other associations dealing in farm implements, was recommended in the annual report of the federal trade commission, presented to the senate today. The increase in the price of farm implements to an average of 72 per cent from 1914 to 1918, the report alleges, is due in "part to price agreements or understandings" among members of the big manufacturing associations.

Cables Quegtion Considered.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The state department and the senate foreign relations committee today agraced to a plan of co-operation looking toward recognition of the United States in distribution of the German cables under the Versailles treaty.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—One of the first acts of the new administration as soon as possible after March 4 will be to make peace with Germany and also to repeal the war time powers of the president, said Senator Legrent, of Wisconsin, in an address here today.

Martial Law for All Irish Rebels

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Collector of Internal Revenue Congressman Knutson Says Weatherman Says That the Present Weather Will Probably Continue.

SET REPEAL WAR TIME LAWS NO SNOW IS EXPECTED

That Storm of a Year Ago May Be Repeated and Predicts Bad Weather.

It was one year ago tonight that Roseburg residents upon climbing out of bed to secure extra covers, found the snow piling in through an open window and upon looking out of deors while in the act of closing said window, found the ground covered two or three inches deep with a white mantle of snow. Being sufficiently thawed out after rising, brave residenters who sallied out to look residenters who sallied out to look at the thermometer on the morning of December 11, found the mercury trembling far below the freezing

Is Organized Here ANTI-ALIEN LAND New Dancing Club

A new dancing clab has just been organized in this city, to be known as the L. F. T. Clab. The opening dance will be at the armory on next Monday evening, December 13. At a recent meeting of the club members, S. C. Bartrum was unanimously chosen as president and F. P. Clemonsens selected to serve as secretary.

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The new club will be unique, in that it is a gentlemen's organization with the ladies as guests. Dances will be held in the armory every two weeks. In addition to the regular welve dances for the social season, there will be other special entertainments from time to time.

This club will fill a social want in this city, and its members are any ticipating a great success.

Mother of Rossburg Woman Dies

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Palm and children, Claude and Mary, returned to Roseburg last night from Albany, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Palm's mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Safley. Mrs. Safley died in Albany Sunday, Dec. 5th, following an illness of eight weeks. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Albany Christian church, with Rev. Albyn Esson conducting. Interment was in the Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Safley was 69 years of age at the time of her death. She rormerly resided in Douglas county, near Drain, leaving there for Albany in 1904. She was born in Cherokee, Alabama, March 29, 1869, her parents moving to Arkansas when she was quite young. She was united in marriage to J. H. Safley in Arkansas, coming to Oregon with him in 1889. Eight children were born to the union, six of whom survive. They are John, Frank, Jesse, and Floyd Safley, Mrs. Ella Palm and Mrs. Laura Holmes. She is also survived by eighteen grandchildren. Mrs. Safley will be remembered by many people her as a life long member of the W. C. T. U.

"Foolish History" on Sale Monday

at the thermometer on the morning of December 11, found the mercury trembling far below the freezing point.

Over the wires filtered news of a much worse predicament in other parts of the state. In the Willamette valiey traffic and business was paralyzed. Water systems were frozen and in some places, people were forced to melt snow to secure water. In the larger cities pipes in scores of houses broke and the occupants were forced to melt snow to secure water for days, as plumbers were at a premium. Orchards were killed, vegetables were frozen, and altogether a great deal of damage was done.

In Roseburg, however, these conditions were not so severe. The snow was not so deep and the temperature not so low. In the Willamette valley the thermometer reached six degrees below zero, but in the week of severe cold weather the minimum temperature in Roseburg was 11 degrees above, this being experienced on December 12.

The snow which started to fall at 32.55 p. m. on December 10, lasted until December 17. The temperature on the 12th was the coldest Decemon the 12th was the coldest December 17.

LAW NOW IN EFFECT

California State Act Approved at General Election is a Most Drastic One.

AIMED AT JAPANESE

Forth Opposing Interpretations Between U. S. and Japan— Several Vigws Taken.

Hy Associated Press

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 10.— California's new and more drastic anti-alien land law, an initiative act approved at the general election last month, became effective yesterday.

It withdraws the three-year agri-cultural land leasing privilege from aliens ineligible to citizenship and seeks to close loopholes in the orig-inal law of 1913 through which, it is said. Japanese were continuing to gain control of California farm land.

Specifically it provides that no alien ineligible to citizenship nor any organization controlled by such aliens may act as guardian of a minor who, because of birth in this country, may legally acquire agricul-tural land.

The controversy over the measure brought forth opposing interpreta-tions of the treaty between the Unit-ed States and Japan. The act pro-vides that any alien ineligible to citivides that any alien ineligible to citizenship may acquire, use, transmit and inherit real property only as prescribed by treaty—and not otherwise. Opponents of the law contended that the provision of the treaty with Japan permitted Japanese to this country to "own or hire and occupy lands for residential and commercial purposes" must be interpreted to include agricultural lands. "The treaty is intended," said the

"The treaty is intended," said the formal argument against the bill on the ballot, "to give the Japanese privilege to enter upon complete commerce and therefor protects their rights to lease land for production."

This view was directly contrary to that of the supporters of the measure. V. S. McClathy in the formal argument for the new act wrote: