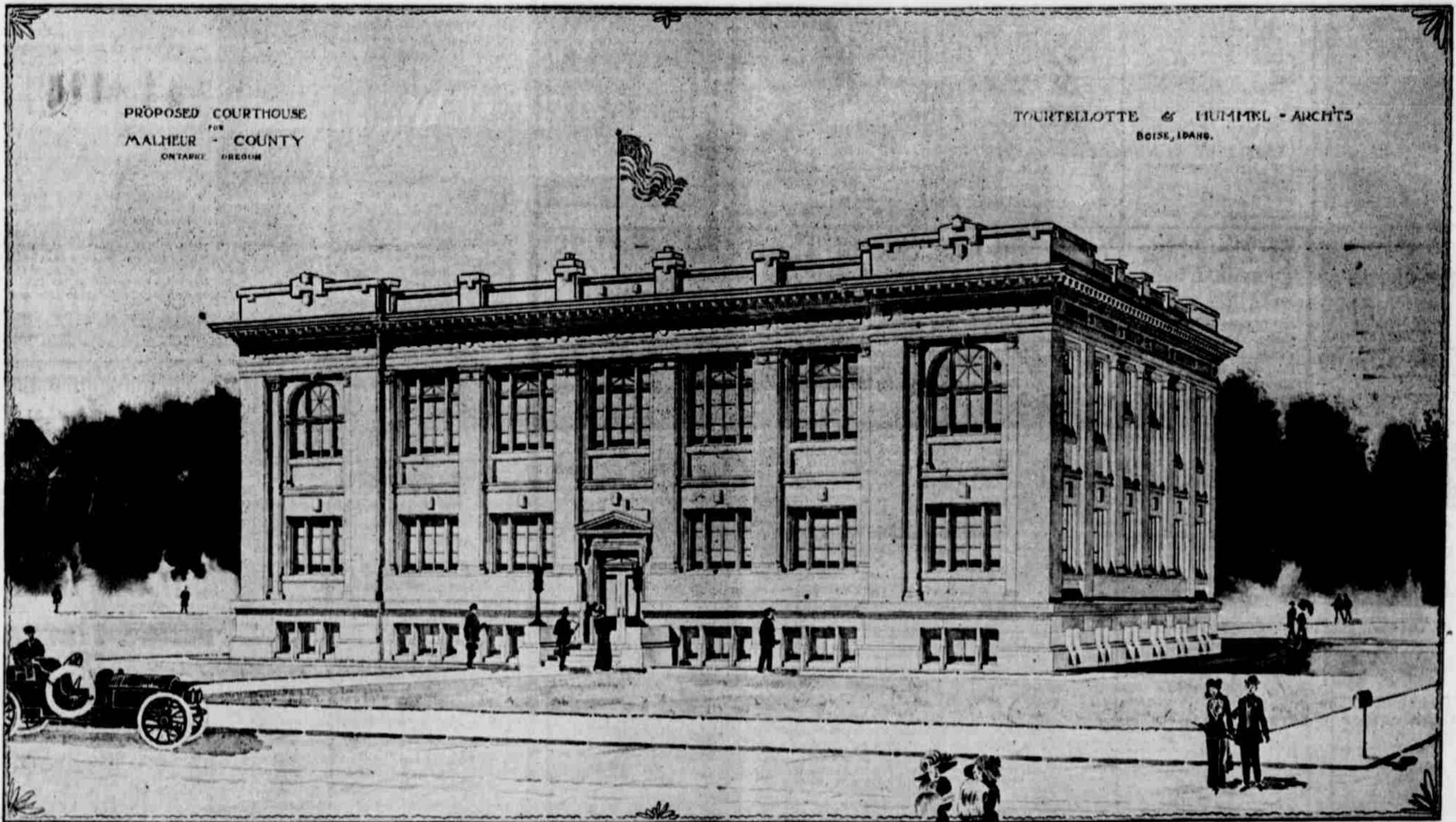


THE COURT HOUSE ONTARIO PROPOSES TO BUILD

For Malheur County. Bonds have been Voted and Sold and Money is Now On Deposit in the First National and Ontario National Banks to Complete and Equip the Building.



THE FRUITLAND NEWS

While Mr. William Hollenbeck and family were returning from Ontario one evening last week someone on horseback ran into their rig breaking it and the harness so it was necessary to get a rig from Ontario to get home. Fortunately no one was hurt. They were unable to ascertain who the rider was.

The P. V. cars hit one of W. J. Russell's fine Jersey heifers last Tuesday breaking both hind legs and otherwise bruising her so the section man killed her.

Mr. Scritchfield hired two strangers to pick apples who were lodging about the beet dump and claiming they wanted work. He left them sleep in his barn and gave them a tarpauline and bedding to use while there. They proved very slow workers and only stayed two days when they got tired of a job. They went to Fruitland Mercantile Co., and purchased four dollars worth of goods on credit. They left in the night

taking Mr. Scritchfield's tarpauline and bedding which he had loaned them, new picking bags he bought for them to use and a good lariat rope.

Miss Ferguson a deaconess of the M. E. church met with the Queen Esther Circle at the home of Irene Cotton last Saturday afternoon and gave a beautiful talk. She also gave a very interesting talk at the close of the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening.

Work on the new lumber and coal yards are being built by the Cash Lumber and Coal Company is progressing and will be ready for use before winter.

The M. E. Ladies Aid meeting this week at Epworth Hall, Thursday afternoon.

The W. C. T. U. meeting this week at the home of Mrs. H. E. Robinson Tuesday afternoon.

The packing houses in and around Fruitland are running full forces trying to get the Jonathans packed and shipped out of the way to make room for the later varieties that are ready for market.

Mr. Tom Wendell is doing good work hulling clover with his new

huller for the people around Fruitland this week.

The famous DeMoss family will give a concert at the Methodist church Wednesday evening of this week.

Rev. Fox who with his family have been here several weeks will soon leave for Wendell where he will take up the land agency business.

Several from this section took exhibits to the county fair this week at Caldwell.

Earl Royston a nephew of J. M. Royston left Thursday for his home in Baltimore, Md., His cousin Scuyler Royston accompanied him as far as Twin Falls where they will visit Scuyler's sister Mrs. Ed. Williams formerly of this place.

D. D. Hunt and S. C. Dean attended a sale at Nyssa, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young are enjoying a visit from their daughter Golden and husband, whose home is in Kansas.

Earl Cotton left Thursday for Salem to take the second year at the Willamette University.

News have been received here of the death of Mr. A. L. Tuttle which

occurred September 15, in Lopez, Penn. at the home of his sister Mrs. S. M. Johnson. He and his family were among the earliest settlers in this vicinity having come in 1893, where he resided until a short time ago when he went to Baltimore, Maryland, to the Johns Hopkins hospital to take treatment for a growth on his neck under the care of Dr. Howard Kelley who used the radium treatment, but did not effect a cure. He leaves six children who have the sympathy of their friends here.

Last Friday was the first meeting of the Mothers' Circle, this school year. There was a good attendance and the program was good.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle and daughter Elizabeth, who have been visiting several weeks at the W. G. Cotton home left Thursday for Tacoma, Wash.

TWO RESCUED FROM VESSEL

Fifty-Eight Lives Lost When Steamer Leggett Sinks off Yaquina Head, Astoria.—There was a loss of life of at least 58 persons when the steam schooner Francis H. Leggett foundered in the heavy seas off Yaquina Head south of the Columbia river.

The known survivors are Alexander Farrell, of Sacramento, Cal., and Geo. Pullman, or Poliman, of Winnipeg, Man. Both were rescued by the oil tanker Frank H. Buck.

The Leggett was en route to San Francisco from Grays Harbor ports. One of the survivors, having been sufficiently revived to be interviewed, said that when the deckload of the Leggett was washed overboard the holds immediately filled with water, the vessel going down like a rock, the hatches having not been put on before leaving port. Two boats were launched from the Leggett, but were at once capsized, there being at one time in plain sight from 25 to 30 persons in the water, clinging to wreckage in all directions, but dropping off one by one.

The known passenger list, furnished by the owners at San Francisco, totaled 35. Besides Captain Maro, the Leggett carried a crew of 24 men.

Peace Talk is Checked.
Washington.—President Wilson feels that the opportune moment for the United States government to exert its influence effectually for peace in Europe has not arrived. For the present, it was said, unofficial and informal efforts to persuade the Washington government to press for peace in Europe would be unavailing.

America to Observe Special Peace Day For Europe on Sunday, Oct. 4.

"O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men to dwell on all the face of the earth, and who in thy Holy Word hast taught us that One is our Father, even God, and that all we are brethren: We pray thee in this dark hour of international strife that thou wilt open the eyes of the people and those who in thy Name are intrusted with the authority of governance, to see and understand their right and true relation to thee, and through thee to one another. Teach them by thy spirit that hatred and violence are not strength but weakness, that the true safeguarding of a nation is not to be found in weapons of war but in those eternal principles which make for righteousness and truth and brotherhood and peace. Give to those who shall suffer in the war which is raging now, the consolation of thy grace. Heal the sick, comfort the afflicted, minister to the dying, and bind up the broken heart. Bring we pray thee, to a speedy end this international strife, and hasten the time when peace shall flourish out of the earth, and all shall dwell together in unity and love, and we shall be no more. We ask it in the Name of Our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen!"
Prepared by Bishop Greer.



Peace

ST. AGNES C. M. E. S. Dykes 1898

God of the sea - Monks, sea and fir. Hal - low of all men - kind.

Bless Thou Thy peo - ple as they strive. The path of peace to find. A - men.

The clash of arms still echoes the sky,
King battles still with king—
Wild through the frighted air of night
The bloody tocsin ring.

But clearer for the friendly speech
Of scientists and seers,
The wise debate of statesmen and
The shouts of plowmen.

And stronger for the choiced bands
Of labor's team— through
Who in a hundred tongues repeat
Their common credo and song.

O Father! from the cause of war
We pray Thee give release,
And speed, O speed the blessed day
Of justice, love and peace.

Edw. Hayes Edger

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President Wilson by proclamation has set aside Sunday, Oct. 4, as a national peace day. Peace services will be held in churches throughout the land, irrespective of denomination. Sermons for peace in Europe will be delivered, songs for peace will be sung and prayers for peace will be offered. A hymn entitled "Peace," written by John Haynes Holmes and sung to the music of "St. Agnes" by J. B. Dykes in 1898, here reproduced, has been recommended as the national peace day song by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America and the Church Peace Union. Among the peace prayers especially written for the day is one by Bishop Greer of the Episcopal church, also reproduced here.

Balmacaans
Mackinaws
Sweater Coats
IN GREAT VARIETY
ALEXANDER
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER ONTARIO, OREGON