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MAGNITUDE OF RUSSIA AMAZES GEOGRAPHERS

Is Twice as Long and Thrice as Wide
as United States.

(Geographical Review)

At present the Russian empire encompasses 42 degrees of latitude and no less than 173 degrees of longitude—that is to say, it doubles the extent of the United States in length and nearly triples it in breadth. The Empire state of New York could be easily set down in the 8,647,657 square miles of the Russian empire's area 165 times; while Russia, west of the Urals alone, is ten times the size of France and 33 times the size of England and Wales. European Russia takes up over one-half of Europe, and Asiatic Russia over one-third of all Asia. So we find Russia occupying more than one-seventh of the total land surface of the globe.

In discussing the various parts of this gigantic whole, custom has fixed a dividing line between east and west in the Ural mountains. This boundary, however, is like the equatorial line, more fictitious than real. European Russia and Western Siberia are, generally speaking, one vast plain, which slopes on the north to the Arctic ocean and on the south to the Black sea and the Caspian. This great plain is barely broken by the Urals; in their central part, where the Transiberian railroad crosses them, the ascent is so gradual that one is not in the least aware of ascending, until at a given moment a sign post is reached which points in one direction "to Europe," in the other "to Asia." A slight change in the character of the vegetation is also noticed. But before and behind are the great sweeps of level country.

To the Asiatic side of the Urals the farmers from the other end of the plain have been flocking for years, in spite of the ill repute that accompanies a penal settlement. They find natural conditions very little different from the European side, but they find a virgin soil, a chance to start life afresh. They are usually prosperous and happy and less restricted by government regulations. These are the builders of the new Russia. In them there is all the living promise of the future. They have the backbone of the race; they are the purest Russian stock, and, at the same time, as pioneers in a new country, their vision is broader, they are untrammelled by convention, they are as fresh and vigorous as the untamed nature around them.

NEARLY \$3,000,000 ON HAND IN TREASURY OF STATE

Salem, Or., July 6.—According to the quarterly report of State Treasurer Kay there was a balance of \$1,765,042.08 in all funds on June 30. The receipts during the quarter totaled \$1,925,482.68, the disbursements \$1,362,914.94, and there was a balance of \$1,201,574.34 on April 1. In the general fund there was a balance of \$669,946.13 on April 1, the receipts during the period aggregated \$1,370,335.37, the disbursements \$834,088.35, leaving a balance of \$1,206,192.15.

OREGON INDUSTRIAL RECORD.

Portland—Material now being assembled to build five 880 ton steel freight steamers.

Roseburg—40 men at work on telephone line to Myrtle Point.

Oregon direct primary cost candidates \$56,942; state and counties about \$150,000.

Shelburn—New road to Santiam river and ferry being built.

Some towns take more interest in Sunday baseball than in a cheese factory.

Roseburg—Contractors on ground and material ordered for new federal building.

Myrtle Creek—New bridge across Umpqua opened to traffic.

Suttles Lake Irrigation project, of Jefferson county, bonds being sold to irrigate 12,000 acres. Water to be stored in Blue and Suttles Lakes, 25 miles from center of project.

Income taxes collected in Oregon for year just closed \$118,437, as against \$123,306 for year previous.

Marshfield—State will supervise expenditure of good roads bonds issue of Coos county of \$362,000.

Cottage Grove—O. P. & E. railroad erecting gasoline storage warehouse.

The mails are flooded with appeals for publicity at public expense, written by officials drawing salaries, printed at public expense, stamped with postage paid for by the taxpayers, sent out from offices paid for by the public—to increase public burdens.

Springwater—Klaetsch sawmill in operation employing 15 men.

Albany Herald—"At the present time the railroads, as public service institutions, are largely controlled by commissions appointed by the government. Another long and important step will be to give the same commissions power to regulate relations between public service institutions and employees."

Farmers of Polk and Benton counties co-operating with state for water grade highway from Salem to Eugene.

Coos Bay bar survey shows depth of channel 27 feet low tide 600 feet wide.

Willamina to have new M. E. church.

American Soda Products Co., of San Francisco installing plant northeast of Paisley to refine alkali.

Echo—O. W. R. & N. Co., will build 2100 feet passing track here.

Hood River—Apple confection factory to be built.

Coquille—Burned creamery to be rebuilt.

Newport to build concrete seawall 716 feet long.

Baker—Rich strikes reported in Conner creek mines.

Cottage Grove—Standard Oil Co., permitted to install station here.

Grants Pass will have sugar beet silo to feed 150 cattle.

Stayton—Black Eagle mines develop \$200 per ton ore.

Marshfield—Contract let for radio station.

Burns—Crane is new terminus of railroad into Harney county.

Springfield to have new skating rink built.

Estacada to hard surface main business street.

Iron ore deposit located 14 miles from Cottage Grove.

Portland woolen mills has bought and is moving Ellensburg woolen mills here.

A bill to do away with political parties in Washington will in all probability meet the same fate as did a similar bill in California.

Railroad men say strike sentiment is dead. An industrial plant can stop work at end of eight hours, but trains bearing livestock, fruit, merchandise and other products of ranch, orchard and farm must be kept moving to final destination. To stop them at the end of eight hours would spell ruin to the railroad and public alike.

Congressman Sinnott of Eastern Oregon promoting jack-rabbit hat industry.

Monmouth plans civic improvements to build model school city.

Railroads, telephone and telegraph companies are giving married men full pay and single men half pay while absent on service in Mexican war.

The Dalles—Libby canning plant lets contract for subway track under railroad.

The Shields bill would develop cheap power for irrigation and make the Snake River navigable.

Portland—Strikers on O. W. & N. tunnel return to work.

WAR WOULD SEND INTEREST RATES UP

Rise Bound to Come Soon Because of Impending Loans to Belligerents.

In the opinion of financiers money rates are certain to go higher in the near future because of the increasing demand in all lines of industry and trade, supplementing the abnormal demands of the countries at war. It is regarded as a foregone conclusion that Great Britain, France and Russia will soon seek additional large loans in the United States. On account of the imminent war of this country with Mexico, the belief is gaining that the United States will float a large issue of bonds for war purposes. Naturally, it is reasoned, the tremendous borrowing will advance interest rates all around and the effect will be felt locally, resulting in higher prices for prime securities.

Of great significance that Great Britain is preparing to float another huge loan is the action of that government in levying an income tax of 10 per cent on American and other foreign securities. This has been done to force the turning over to the government of such securities as security for a proposed new loan. British holders of such securities who turn their investments over to the government on a loan basis are exempted from the heavy tax.

WINNING BATTLES IS ONLY A STATE OF MIND

Lieut. Sweeney, of Foreign Legion, Tells What Victory Means.

Those who met Lieutenant Charles Sweeney, Jr., American officer in the French foreign legion, when he was in Portland in February are reading the press reports of the present drive by the allies with a new interest.

"Winning a battle or being defeated in battle is not a matter of losing men, nor even of losing or winning a position," he told friends in Portland during his visit. "No matter how many men you've lost in a battle, you have won that battle if you have made the enemy believe that he cannot stop you, that no matter what your losses or what he does you are coming right along. In other words, winning a battle is a question of getting the other man's goat. And you've lost when you have the feeling that no matter what efforts you make you cannot be successful." Lieutenant Sweeney is the only American who is an officer in the foreign legion. He was awarded the cross of the Legion of Honor not long before coming to Portland to visit his father, Charles Sweeney, of Spokane, who has since died. He was allowed until May 1 to recover from a wound received in September. He left Portland early in April to insure his return to the line "somewhere in France" where the foreign legion is stationed.

You, of course, have your opinion on current affairs, and believe that you are right. Your neighbor has his and is equally firm in his belief. Respect the rights of each, and don't scrap.

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CONDENSED REPORT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ONTARIO, OREGON

As made to the comptroller of the currency at the close of business, June 30, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans and investments	\$381,910.55
Overdraft	71.20
Stock in Reserve Bank	3,000.00
Realty and fixtures	9,362.45
Cash Reserve	197,898.44
	\$592,242.62

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$500,000.00
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Circuit Court

Circuit Court for Malheur county meets in Vale, the county seat, on the second Monday in January; on the fourth Monday in April; and on the first Tuesday in September for regular sessions. Hon. Dalton Biggs, Circuit Judge; W. H. Brooks, District Attorney; John P. Houston, Clerk.

County Court

The County Court of Malheur County meets in regular session at Vale on the first Wednesday of January, March, May, July, September and November. County Judge, Geo. W. McKnight; M. D. Kelley and John F. Weaver, Commissioners; John P. Houston, Clerk.

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