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WOMAN ELECTED STATE SENATOR FROM DOUGLAS COUNTY YESTERDAY

J. W. Perkins, Well Known on Coos Bay, Defeated by Miss Kathryn Clark

GEORGE GLYNN THIRD IN SPECIAL ELECTION

Victor is Cousin of Governor West and Was Named by Him to Fill Vacancy

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 21.—Miss Kathryn Clark is the first woman state senator elected in Oregon. With only three small precincts to be heard from, the count of yesterday's special election in Douglas county showed that her lead could not be overcome.

Perkins Known Here. Considerable local interest was attached to the Douglas county election, as J. W. Perkins, one of the candidates, was well known on Coos Bay.

NEW PRESIDENT TO RULE IN MEXICO

Provisional President Garza Says He Hopes to Re-establish Tranquility

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—Provisional President Garza, in a statement issued by him on Wednesday, said he was making efforts to bring about a satisfactory arrangement for the re-establishment of tranquility in Mexico City.

ITALY PLANS AID OF QUAKE RELIEF

Authorities Given \$6,000,000 to Alleviate Suffering in Stricken District

ROME, Jan. 21.—The sum of \$6,000,000 having been placed at the disposal of the Italian authorities for the alleviation of conditions in the earthquake area, extensive relief work is being planned.

Taft SAYS NATION MUST ALTER WAYS

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ALBANY PIONEER STRICKEN TODAY

Rufus Thompson, Father of President Thompson of Oregon Senate, Dies

SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—The Senate adjourned this morning until afternoon on account of the death of Rufus Thompson, father of President Thompson of the Senate, who died in Albany last night.

IDAHO TO PUT BAN ON LIQUOR

Representatives Pass Resolution Providing for Submission at 1916 Election

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 21.—By unanimous vote the Idaho House of Representatives passed a resolution providing for the submission to the voters of 1916 a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicants in this state.

TRAIN CRASHES INTO AUTO TODAY

One Killed and Three Injured in Grade Crossing Accident at Elma, Washington

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 21.—One was killed and three injured when an Oregon-Washington freight train struck an auto stage at South Elma today. Harry Beckwith, of Elma, was killed. T. M. Harris, Oregon-Washington agent at Saginaw, and Charles Gordon, driver of the stage, were seriously injured.

RAILROAD MEN VISIT ON THE BAY

Messrs. O'Neil and Skey of Southern Pacific Lines Inspect This Territory

J. H. O'Neil, traveling passenger agent of the O.-W. R. & N. of Portland, and W. R. Skey, representative of Traffic Manager Miller of the Southern Pacific, arrived here today on the Breakwater to spend a few days in this section.

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American Sailors Arrested in Bremen After English Delay

GERMANY TO USE AIRSHIPS IN CAMPAIGN

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A dispatch from Stockholm says German airships have been reconnoitering the frontier between Sweden and Finland evidently with the purpose of destroying the bridges of the new Finnish railway, thus interrupting communication between Russia and Sweden.

GERMANS BOAST. BERLIN, Jan. 21.—"The isolation of the British Islands is conquered successfully," says the Morgen Post in its comment on the air raid made by Germans on the English coast.

FLOATER MAY BE MISSING SWAMPER

BODY FOUND ON EASTSIDE TIDE FLATS MAY BE THAT OF TOM EGGERTON WHO DISAPPEARED SOME TIME AGO.

Doubt as to whether the floater found this afternoon was the body of Tom Eggerton, a swamper at the Shamrock bar who has been missing for about a month.

The body of a dead man, thought by some to be Tom Eggerton, a swamper at the Shamrock bar who has been missing for about a month, was discovered by boatmen on the Eastside tide flats today.

About noon C. J. West, of Eastside, rowing near the mouth of Isthmus Inlet, saw the body of a man lying on the tide flats. He arrived there at the same time that J. W. Peterson and Charles Larson, also of Eastside, came up in another boat.

Officer Richardson went in the Buffalo Bill to the spot and the body was taken in tow across the Bay. A curious crowd of 400 people gathered along the waterfront to watch the body brought ashore.

Late this afternoon it was declared that Milton Hirst, a swamper at the Shamrock, identified the dead man as Tom Eggerton. It is known the latter came here from Coquille last summer, where he had been in the electrical supply business.

Give Lecture.—Rev. J. E. Knotts, who spent 5 years in Peru, will give an address on "Life in Peru," at the M. E. Church hall Friday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Members of Crews of Greenbrier and Carolyn Taken Into Custody by Germans

NO EXPLANATION IS GIVEN IN DISPATCHES Think it Was to Suppress Military Information—No Answer from England

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 21.—While the American government today awaited Great Britain's explanation of her seizure of the American steamer Green Brier it developed that the American sailors of her crew, as well as those of the steamer Carolyn, had been arrested by the Germans at Bremen.

Secretary Bryan's request for information of the circumstances surrounding the seizure of the Greenbrier by the British was received at the British Embassy here, which withholds comment.

FRED NELSON, ALIAS SCOTT AND JOE NELSON, BAD CHECK MAN IN TOILS

Fred Nelson, alias Scott, alias Joe Nelson, wanted for the forgery of a \$15 check at the Oliviant & Weaver Grocery store on Tuesday evening, turned over in his bed at an obscure North Bend rooming house this morning and found the room full of officers.

FORGER ARRESTED IN ROOMING HOUSE

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He gave his age as 32 years and his real name as Fred Nelson. He weighs about 158 pounds and is of a medium height.

At the time of his death the deceased was 56 years of age though of late years he had been much broken in health. Where he got the name of "Buckshot" is a matter of guess.

TO BUY NEW GOODS. Orders for Jennings Store's Spring, Summer and Fall Goods—Being Placed.

Search for the man was made today.

TAKE GERMAN COUNT FROM ITALIAN SHIP

TURIN, Italy, Jan. 21.—The newspaper Stampa announces that a British warship arrested on the liner Due d'Aosta, from Genoa to New York, Count Von Keller, a German officer of high rank, who was sent to the United States on a secret mission.

MAY WHEAT \$1.45 IN CHICAGO TODAY

Price Jumps to New High Level on Board of Trade as Result of War Demand

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—War prices for wheat touched a new high level today, \$1.45 3-8 bushel, May delivery.

'BUCKSHOT' DIES IN HIS OLD HOME

Will Creason, Long a Familiar Character Here, Dead From Paralytic Stroke.

Will L. Creason, better known as "Buckshot," and for many years a well known character on Coos Bay, died January 9 in the German Hospital in Kansas City as a result of a stroke of paralysis suffered Sunday morning, December 27.

He was born in Ray county, Kansas, in 1858, growing to manhood in that state and coming to Oregon in 1885, where he remained most of the time until leaving here on September 3, 1914.

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GERMANS GAIN REAR OF CZAR'S ARMY ADVANCING ON EAST PRUSSIA

SMALL BATTLES ON WEST FRONT

Many Small Engagements Between Allies and Germans—No Marked Change Today

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A series of battles is progressing along the Franco-Belgian battle line, but only a comparatively small number of troops are engaged and no general movements are apparent.

German reconnoitering forces have appeared northwest of Warsaw in the rear of the Russian army.

RUSSIA THREATENS WITH 3 ARMIES

Czar Begins Advance From Three Directions on Germany and Austria

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Russia's threefold assault on the German allies has, in the opinion of British observers, resumed the steam roller characteristics alike in the north, center and south.

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To Play Basketball.—The Marshfield High School basketball team will meet the North Bend High School quintet on the local gymnasium floor tomorrow evening for their first regular game.

Petrograd Reports Enemy Northwest of Warsaw, Between Army and Capital

THINK COMPARATIVELY SMALL FORCES THERE

All German Residents Notified By Russian Government That They Must Leave There

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The official statement says: "In the west only artillery duels occurred yesterday between the coast and the Rivre Lys. Trenches at Notre Dame de Lorette, which we occupied the day before yesterday, were lost again today. Northwest of Arras, the French repeatedly attacked both sides of a high road from Arras to Lille, but were repulsed.

The situation in East Prussia remains the same. An unimportant engagement east of Lipno ended favorably for us"

PETROGRAD, Jan. 21.—German forces have appeared in the rear of the Russian army, which is advancing toward the Prussian border. They are along the road from Pionsk, 40 miles northwest of Warsaw, to Goslitz, thus being between the advancing Russian army and the Polish capital.

Grand Duke Nicholas has ordered all Russo-Germans, residents in this vicinity, to dispose of their property within six days, preparatory to being removed to the interior of the country.

RUSSIANS CLAIM TURKS DEFEATED

Announce Victories Over Forces in Trans-Caucasia—Twelve Ships Sunk

PETROGRAD, Jan. 21.—A communication to the general staff from the army of Caucasus, says: "On January 19, in the region of Ahalik, Laxsar and Kiyagan, we fought a series of combats with the Turkish rear guard who retreated precipitately. We captured many prisoners and the Turkish camp. January 18 we occupied Ardanchout, in Trans-Caucasia, near the Turkish border. A torpedo boat sent to inspect the Asia Minor coast sunk 12 vessels with cargoes near Archava."

TALKS THREE DAYS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—The administration Democrats in the Senate plan to meet the Republican filibuster on the shipping bill by keeping the measure before the Senate continuously to the exclusion of the appropriation bills and if necessary without a recess even for meals.

TO BOOST FOREIGN TRADE

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—Several hundred delegates, representing leading commercial organizations of the United States attended the opening session of the second National Foreign Trade convention here today.