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Forecast for Eastern Oregon by the United States Weather Observer at Portland.

Tonight fair with heavy frost; Tuesday fair, warmer.

RUSSIAN TROOPS HELD READY TO STRIKE AT BULGARIA

QUAKE SHAKES 6 STATES; DAMAGES ARE NOT SEVERE

Bafer and Huntington in Oregon Feel Tremor and Boise Buildings are Rocked by the Shock.

LOCAL MEN HAVE EXPERIENCE

Conductor and Brakeman on O.-W. R. and N. Are Nearly Shaken Out of Bed in Huntington — Every Clock is Stopped in Baker and Dishes Thrown from Shelves.

- Extent of Quake.
- States covered — California, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, Utah and Washington.
- Damage reported — Breakage to dishes and loosening of plaster, but no serious loss anywhere.
- The shocks were felt at Baker, Ontario and Huntington, Or., and Boise, Nampa, Payette, Caldwell and Weiser, Idaho.
- Goldfield and Reno, Nev., reported heavy shocks and 8:11 Lake was the center of the shocks in Utah.
- No reports of the earthquake were sent out as being felt at San Francisco, but cities on all sides reported feeling the disturbance. Fresno, Bakersfield, Chico, Marysville, Sacramento, Stockton and Grass Valley all reported the disturbance.

Conductor R. Wessler and Brakeman Tobias Butler who were in from Huntington yesterday on No. 15, reported that the shock felt at Huntington Saturday night was very severe.

Mr. Wessler was awakened by the shock and, according to his story, felt the hotel shaking under him as though ever minute it would collapse. Mr. Butler also felt the shock but had awakened from a deep slumber at the time and paid little attention to it. Only when he had arisen in the morning did he realize that he had been in an earthquake. Both railroad men reported that the people of Huntington were much wrought up over the disturbance.

BAKER, Ore., Oct. 4.—Baker overtook yesterday, breaking the usual Sunday morning record. The earthquake at 10:55 o'clock Saturday night found many in bed with alarm clocks set. The shock stopped the clocks and the sleepers did not know it until they arose late and found the hands still pointing at 10:55.

The city was without the correct time all day because the Western Union clocks were among the affected timepieces. The Western Union does not set the time on Sundays. Many persons were late to church, but the attendance was larger than usual.

The shock was largely felt, but the damage was nominal. Plaster on the walls and ceilings of the Columbia Hotel was cracked and minor breaks were reported at other places. There were also many reports of dishes being shaken from tables and cupboards. The last previous shock here was in 1873 and was almost of the same duration and intensity.

BOISE, Oct. 4.—Great anxiety was manifested over the safety of the Arrow rock dam above this city from the earthquake shocks that visited Boise Saturday night, but reports received from there has allayed this for the shocks were not felt there. Possible jarring of this dam at its base preventing it from impounding water would have resulted in the waste of four years of labor and \$6,000,000, and a loss difficult to estimate to southwestern Idaho.

Late reports from all parts of southern Idaho and eastern Oregon indicate that, although the earth shocks were severe, no serious damage was done. One building at Yale in which section the quake was perceptible, was cracked. Although the swaying of buildings was noticed here and elsewhere, the structures did not appear to have been damaged.

RAILWAY IN NEVADA DAMAGED. HILARY, Nev., Oct. 4.—Much damage was done by earth shocks for 100 miles along the Southern Pacific Railroad, according to reports. Several railroad water tanks toppled from their high supports, and one of them at Lovelock, 40 miles west of here, crushed one end of a dwelling-house.

Leaders in Gigantic French Drive



GEN. JOFFRE AND GEN. CASTELNAUX.

After a year since the great Battle of the Marne, during which time Gen. Joffre has pursued a policy of attrition, or "cutting" at the German lines, the long waited advance seems to have begun at last. For

ANTI-TRADING STAMP LAW IN OREGON HELD UNCONSTITUTIONAL

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 4.—The Oregon anti-trading stamp law, passed by the last legislature, was declared unconstitutional by the federal district court. The law which levied a tax of five per cent on the gross sales of stores using trading stamps was a contravention of the 14th amendment to the constitution, the court held.

JOHN T. WHISTLER IS NAMED ON COMMISSION

MAN WELL KNOWN HERE APPOINTED AS CONSULTING ENGINEER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—John T. Whistler of Portland, for many years engineer in the reclamation service, will be appointed American consulting engineer to the International Joint Commission which is adjusting disputes over waterways along the Canadian border. His salary will be \$4,000 yearly and his appointment for at least two years. The joint commission, consisting of three Americans and three Canadians, will meet this week in Ottawa to take up the settlement of rights to the waters of the Milk and St. Mary's rivers, which flow across the international boundary into Montana and Mr. Whistler, acting with the Canadian engineer, is to secure with data on which this commission ultimately will determine how much flow of these streams properly belongs to each country.

The question is important because of great irrigation projects that utilize the waters of these streams. Will R. King, of Oregon, counselor of the reclamation service, left for Ottawa to confer with the joint commission over the boundary waterway disputes.

Dangerous Fire Averted. BAKER, Ore., Oct. 4.—Prompt work by firefighters averted a widespread conflagration on Mill Creek just at a time when conditions are perfect for a dangerous forest fire. The blaze in the timber was seen by a rancher who telephoned to Ephraim Barnes, Minam forest supervisor. With Walter Palmer, county fire warden, and W. E. White, Mr. Barnes made the ten-mile trip by automobile in record time, and with the aid of ranchers they battled the blaze three hours before it was subdued. A neglected campfire is believed to have caused the fire.

MURDER TRIAL UNDER WAY TODAY WITH SELECTION OF JURY

ATTORNEY FOR DALE SAYS LATER WILL SWEAR HE DOES NOT REMEMBER.

- The Jury.
- Robert Walden, Milton; John Brinker, Freewater; C. N. Fogera, Freewater; C. E. Spence, Milton; George A. Hardy, Freewater; P. T. Hales, Pendleton; John Harvey, Pendleton; W. H. Morrison, Helix; L. S. Bentley, Pendleton; S. Simmonds, Adams; Charles Tullis, Pendleton; J. O. Hales, Adams.

Whether or not a drunken man is responsible for his acts may be the question for the jury in the Dale murder trial to determine. In outlining the defense just before noon, Attorney W. M. Peterson for the defendant stated that Dale would declare on the stand that he killed either Mr. or Mrs. Charles Ogilvy that he had no remembrance whatever of it and that he did it while so intoxicated that he was not responsible.

The picking of the jury was completed at 11 o'clock this morning and the opening statements concluded by noon so that all was in readiness for the taking of testimony this afternoon. The jurors will not be kept confined in the jury room between sessions of the court, the attorneys agreeing to permit them to separate. However, Judge Phelps gave strict instructions to them to refrain from all discussion of the case.

District Attorney Steiner in his opening statement declared that the state would offer as proof of the defendant's guilt, testimony showing that Dale went to the Ogilvy ranch on the night of the murder, the dying declarations of Mr. Ogilvy which fix the blame upon the accused, his revolver which was found near the Ogilvy place and other bits of evidence tending to show him the murderer of the old couple.

INDICTMENT RETURNED IN A SECOND MURDER CASE

On the day that the trial of Lee Dale for murder began, the grand jury returned another murder indictment. Saturday afternoon the jury returned a true bill against John Richardson, who has confessed to killing J. T. Owings. The indictment charges second degree murder inasmuch as there is no longer first degree murder in Oregon since the abolishment of the death penalty.

Six other indictments were returned by the grand jury Saturday before adjournment for the term. Thomas Swiftfoot, who was apprehended in Moscow, Idaho, is charged with the larceny of a horse from Carney & Rusey. Mike Zenneby is charged with forgery and George Clark and James Smith (colored) are accused of vagrancy. These latter two were arrested at Athena for loitering about the town. They were detected once entering a section house. The other three indictments were against two persons who have not yet been taken into custody.

Many see \$13,000 Theft.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 4.—An attempt to steal jewelry valued at \$13,000 from a show window at one of the business corners in the shopping district was made by two armed men in full view of thousands of people. After smashing the window with a padded hammer, they seized two trays containing the jewels and made a dash to escape, at the same time firing their revolvers at pursuers. Women shoppers were panic-stricken and several fainted. One of the men was seized. The other escaped through an office building after one tray of jewels had been knocked from his hand. The other tray was found intact.

Coreans in Hawaii Drill.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 4.—Coreans in Hawaii are training with wooden guns, in the hope of being able to free Korea from Japan, according to Miss Sadie E. Barrett, a missionary to Hawaii, who addressed the national convention of the Women's Home Missionary Society in the Methodist Episcopal church. "One of the greatest difficulties we have," said Miss Barrett, "is to keep peace between the little Korean and Japanese girls. There is a feeling of bitterness between them which sometimes causes trouble between their elders. The Coreans are striving for military power, although at present they are training with wooden guns, and hope to free Korea from Japan."

STRUGGLE AT DUBLIN TURNS TO A MATTER OF RUSSIAN FORCES

THE FORCE THAT MARKED EARLY STAGES OF FIGHT IS LACKING.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The struggle for Dublin is turning to the advantage of the Russians, according to a Petrograd official statement. The German drive for this highly strategic point apparently lacks the forcefulness which marked the early stages of the fight. The statement claimed a repulse of the Teuton offensive in the Dublin region about the railways southwest of Hlonket. The Teutons have evacuated Hlonket.

2 CHARGED AT SALEM WITH FRAUD OVER FAIR TICKETS

ARRESTS MADE IN CONNECTION WITH PLAN TO GET STATE'S MONEY.

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—Charged with manipulating tickets to the state fair to defraud the state, Rex Turner, a Salem attorney, and Cleve Simpkins, of Hopewell, a state university student are under arrest. The men were sellers and collectors of tickets to the fair. Simpkins is said to have confessed, implicating Turner. It is estimated by the state fair board that from a thousand to two thousand was secured during the fair through the manipulation of tickets.

Wheat Market Up Everywhere Today

Wheat is stronger everywhere today. The Chicago market is up two cents and Portland bid prices for club are advanced a cent. On the basis of Portland prices wheat is worth 78 cents or more in Pendleton. The Liverpool market is strong.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—(Special)—At the close today Dec. 95 5-8; May 99 1-8.

Portland, Oct. 4.—(Special)—Bid prices today, club 93; bluestem 92.

Liverpool (Yesterday) LIVERPOOL, Oct. 3.—Wheat—Spot, No. 1 Manitoba, 12s; No. 2, 11s 10-12; No. 3, 11s 10-12; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 11s 5 1-2; No. 2 red western winter, 10s 4d; No. 2 hard winter, 11s 11 1-2.

In American terms the Liverpool price for Spot No. 1 is 41.75 per bushel.

Swain 81, Wins Bride 78. SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—William Steel, aged 31, and Mrs. Arleta Golden, aged 28, obtained a marriage license here.

Both are residents of Turner, and have been twice married.

Over 500 Have Not Yet Registered for Municipal Election

From present indications the registration books will close tomorrow evening with not more than a three fourths registration for the coming municipal election. Not less than 500 local citizens will be unregistered.

At the close of the registration office Saturday evening 1243 had been registered and at 2 o'clock this afternoon the total had reached 1214. The books will be closed at 5 o'clock tomorrow, Tuesday afternoon, and at the present rate of registration it may be anticipated 1500 will be enrolled all told.

Nothing but a vigorous rush tomorrow will be able to make up for the lethargy with which voters enrolled during the greater part of the past month. Only during the past week has any activity been shown and there are reasons for believing hundreds of voters have not yet registered. It is estimated there are now 2000 voters in Pendleton.

The registration office is at the city hall. The books close at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The office will not be open tonight.

Rumanian Leader



Prince Charles of Rumania will lead his country's troops should Rumania cast her lot with Serbia and decide to enter the war on the side of the allies. Berlin diplomats declare that Rumania will remain neutral in the coming struggle against Serbia and into which Bulgaria practically has decided to jump. Greece will be likely to fight Bulgaria as soon as the Greek army is fully mobilized. This will leave the position of Rumania a delicate one to face and it is believed improbable that she can remain out of the struggle with the rest of the Balkan states engaged.

Medical Society of Eastern Oregon to Meet at Hot Lake

ANNUAL GATHERING WILL OCCUR TOMORROW WITH MANY DELEGATES PRESENT.

Tomorrow the annual meeting of the Eastern Oregon Medical Society will be held at Hot Lake with sessions both morning and afternoon. Quite a number of the Pendleton physicians and several are on the program. Three of the officers and one of the trustees are from this city. The officers are Dr. G. W. Tape of Hot Lake, president, Dr. M. V. Turley, first vice-president, Dr. D. N. Reber, second vice president, and Dr. T. M. Henderson, secretary-treasurer. The trustees are Dr. G. A. Fogus of Ontario, Dr. L. P. Temple of Pendleton, and Dr. H. H. Whitney of Ontario.

Thirteen counties are represented in the district from which the society draws its members, they being Baker, Grant, Gilliam, Harney, Hood River, Morrow, Malheur, Sherman, Union, Umatilla, Wallowa, Wheeler and Wasco.

The following is the program as arranged.

9:00 A. M. Called to order by the President, G. W. Tape, Hot Lake, Oregon. Address of Welcome, Hon. Walter M. Pierce, La Grande, Ore. Response, R. E. Ringo, Pendleton, Oregon.

Some Observations in an Obstetrical Practice, Wm. Lockwood Parker, Baker, Oregon.

Discussion Opened by F. E. Boyden, Pendleton, Oregon.

Early Diagnosis of Paresis, Henry Waldo Coe, Portland, Oregon.

Discussion Opened by D. W. McNary, Pendleton, Oregon.

1:30 P. M. Meeting of the Board of Censors. Business Meeting.

The Physiology and Diseases of the Pancreas, Thomas J. Higgins, Baker, Oregon.

Discussion Opened by E. O. Parker, Pendleton, Oregon.

Goltra, A. C. Smith, Portland, Ore. Discussion Opened by M. K. Hall, La Grande, Oregon.

The Importance of Recognizing the Different Types of Patients in the

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SLAVS PREPARED TO INVADE WHEN WAR'S DECLARED

Beginning of Hostilities Seems to be Inevitable and Russian Minister Said to Have Left Sofia.

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ULTIMATUM GOES UNANSWERED

Greece May Follow With Declaration of War Against the Bulgars as Soon as the Mobilization of the Greek Army is Completed—Possibility of Rumania is Doubtful.

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LONDON, Oct. 4.—Russia is expected to make war on Bulgaria tomorrow, thus plunging into the world struggle the thirteenth nation. Her ultimatum to Bulgaria expired at 9 o'clock, New York time, today. That Bulgaria will either ignore the Russian demand to send away the Teuton officers directing mobilization and openly break with Russia's enemies, or will answer with an evasion, is the belief here. The Russian ambassador at Sofia is prepared to leave the country tonight, turning over his country's interests to the representatives of a neutral country.

Greece's entry on the allies' side will follow such a move, although it may be delayed a few days, inasmuch as Greek mobilization is not complete. Rumania's position is doubtful. Berlin claims she stands neutral, but Bucharest messages have not confirmed the claim.

Hostilities throughout the Balkans seem a certainty during the week. Fifty thousand Bulgarians are massed on the Serbian frontier ready for the first blow. Athens dispatches said three-fifths of the Bulgarian strength will be thrown against Serbia and the remainder against Greece. Meanwhile Car Ferdinand is confident that Rumania will maintain neutrality. An Athens dispatch declared the Austro-Germans will attack Serbia today or tomorrow and that Bulgaria will assist a few hours afterward.

BUCHAREST, Oct. 4.—A quarter of a million troops under General Von Mackensen, withdrawn from Russia, have arrived on the Serbian frontier, where Von Mackensen will direct the Austro-German drive to Constantinople, according to the newspaper Epoca. These forces have taken up headquarters at Versecz. They are reported to have 2000 guns of all calibers.

ATHENS, Oct. 4.—The government permitted it to become known today that Anglo-French troops have been landed near Salonika to assist Greece in repelling any Bulgarian attack. The location of the landing is being withheld. The government has taken over four railways to facilitate the movements of troops to Macedonia.

SALONIKA, Oct. 4.—Two powerful Russian squadrons have appeared off the Bulgarian black sea port of Varna, according to dispatches. Bania has important railway connections. The Russians it was predicted will land troops there if it is decided to invade Bulgaria.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—France has ordered that no Bulgarian reserves be permitted to leave the country, according to a Vienna dispatch.

MORE NEGOTIATIONS ARE COMING IN U-BOAT MATTER

BERNSTORFF'S NOTE SAID TO BE SATISFACTORY "SO FAR AS IT GOES."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—That Ambassador Von Bernstorff's note, given to Secretary Lansing in New York on Saturday is "satisfactory so far as it goes," but necessitates further negotiations over the German-American submarine warfare controversy, was learned here. Lansing will ask Von Bernstorff to come here soon to consider the matter in detail.

NEWS SUMMARY

- General.
- Russia is ready to strike at Bulgaria.
- Quake shakes six states.
- Local.
- Lee Dale will plead that if he killed Mr. and Mrs. Ogilvy he was too drunk to know it.
- John Richardson is indicted for second degree murder.
- Local physicians leave tomorrow for Hot Lake to attend convention.