



GOVERNMENT AID IN RECLAMATION BELIEVED NEAR

Will R. King, Chief Counsel for United States Service, Comes to Umatilla County to Confer on Hermiston Project.

SAYS ENTERPRISE ALMOST SURE AFTER RATIFICATION

McKay, Teel and John Day Projects Favorably Considered; Private Building Urged to Make Fund Possible.

Government aid in converting arid lands in Umatilla county to highly productive areas is almost certain to come with ratification of the reclamation treaty.

Judge King, accompanied by W. E. Weymouth, chief of construction of the service, and H. L. Holgate, district counsel for all government projects in Oregon, has just completed a visit to the west end of the county.

Money is not at present available in the reclamation fund for construction of the McKay creek project. He believes that because of the added water supply to be made available by this project, it will receive favorable action as soon as the road is clear for reclamation legislation.

The additional supply of water which the McKay reservoir would furnish would greatly enhance the value of works already completed.

Not only did Judge King pronounce the McKay reservoir and project feasible and highly desirable but he also praised the Teel project, now under construction. This improvement will be a great public benefit to the county and state at large, he said.

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WASH. Oct. 22.—The conference of Gompers and the labor group.

TWO BANDITS MAKE DAYLIGHT THEFT OF JEWELS IN PORTLAND

M. L. Smith, Jeweler in Heilig Building Robbed of \$2500; Five Ineffective Shots Fired After Automobile.

PORTLAND, Oct. 22.—Two bandits robbed M. L. Smith, jeweler, in the Heilig theater building of \$2500 in diamonds and cash at 9:20 o'clock this morning.

HOG PRICE MARKET TAKES BIG DECLINE

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Hog prices dropped 75 cents to a dollar here today.

Drop in Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 22.—Hogs reached the lowest figure in more than two years here today.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 22.—Continued drop in the price of hogs on the Indianapolis livestock market reflected in retail markets here today.

THIEVES TUNNEL INTO CELLAR OF SALOON

WORCHESTER, Mass., Oct. 22.—Speaking of "underhand" methods, thieves tunneled into the cellar of a saloon here and departed with 20 gallons of red beer.

Ultimatum From Pilots. A dispatch filed Monday at Riga reported that aviators attached to Bernadetti's anti-Bolshevik army dropped an ultimatum in the city threatening to bombard it unless it surrendered by midnight.

UNKNOWN VESSEL ASHORE. NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 22.—An unknown vessel is ashore off Nantucket, according to a report received here today. A life saving crew has gone to the assistance of the ship.

Rain in Athens. A heavy rain fell in Athens last night. There was a trace of rain in Pendleton last night. The maximum temperature is 62 and the minimum is 45. The barometer stands at 29.45, according to Major Lee Moorhouse.

TIE UP OF SHIPS TWICE DECLARED OFF, YET EXISTS

Longshoremen's Strike, Paralyzing Industry in New York Harbor, Called Off Yesterday by vote of Unions.

NOT A WORKER RESUMES HIS JOB THIS MORNING

Difficulties, Attempted Conciliation of Which Fell Down Monday Night, Appears Settled When Men Fail.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Though called off twice by official unions, the strike of longshoremen which tied up the port of New York for nearly three weeks, is still in progress, although one faction of the union used to work not a man resumed his job today.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The strike of longshoremen, which began three weeks ago and is completely tying up outside and transatlantic shipments in this port, was called off yesterday when delegates of local unions unanimously agreed to return to work.

STEAMER CARRYING 283 RUNS AGROUND BUT FLOATS AGAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—The Nippon Maru, a passenger steamer, which was grounded on a rocky beach off Point Pedro this morning, was later floated. It carried 283 passengers. No damage was done to the vessel.

WILSON SIGNS SEVERAL BILLS AT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—President Wilson signed several bills, it is learned, at the White House. The president signed the food control act, giving Attorney General Powers authority to prosecute profiteers. Wilson also signed three other measures of minor importance.

Is Improving. WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The president had one of the best nights since his illness began, said his physician's bulletin today. "His digestion is satisfactory."

Serving Papers in Rock District. Deputy Sheriffs Joe Blakeley and Jake Marin are in the Pilot Rock vicinity today serving legal papers.

STRONG QUAKE FELT IN VICINITY OF ROME, LASTS FIVE SECONDS

ROME, Oct. 22.—A strong earth quake shock lasting five seconds occurred in this vicinity this morning.

HOUSING PROBLEM IS TAKEN UP AT REALTY ASSOCIATION MEETING

Newly-organized Body to Strive for Purchase of Timber Land and Establishment of Saw Mill in County.

Settlement of Pendleton's housing problem was discussed last evening by the newly-organized Umatilla County Realty Association. A campaign for bringing new industries to Pendleton and for development of intensified farming in the county was also taken up.

Purchase of timber land in the county and establishment of a sawmill was one proposition advanced, such an arrangement, believing that by such system, lumber could be laid down here at \$10 less per thousand than is now charged. In connection with this plan, suggestion was made that the association purchase land to plant for in addition to Pendleton upon which to erect small houses to sell on the installment plan.

The realtors adopted as their slogan, "Own Your Own Home; We'll Help You Get It." Further work on the suggestions made last evening is to be followed up.

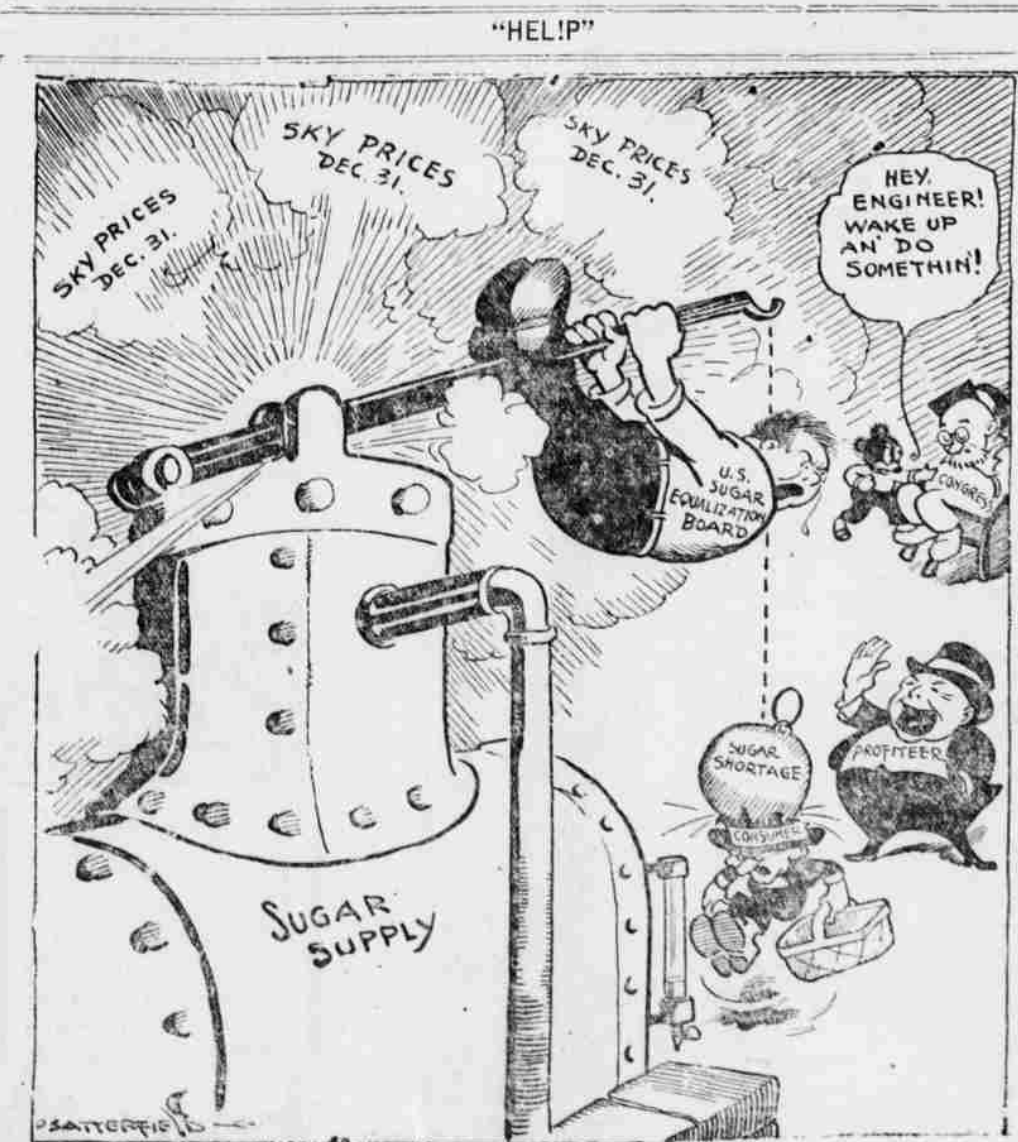
More industries for Pendleton is also attracting the interest of the realtors. A broom factory, especially, is desired. Broom corn can be grown successfully in the county, they believe, and brooms could be manufactured at a great saving to retail also.

A third proposition taken up for discussion was that of leasing lands to be sublet for intensified farming. Placing four families on a section where not anyone lives at present can be accomplished by such a scheme they pointed out.

The housing problem attracted the greater share of interest last evening, due to the fact that hundreds of persons left Pendleton this summer because of no housing facilities. There was no business for rent and many had not the means to buy so large prospective increases in population were lost.

Frequent meetings, probably semi-monthly, will be held by the association henceforth. Applications from several out of town licensed dealers have been made and the membership is expected to swell to take in the realtors from other towns. Enforcement of the formation of the association has already been received from the Portland Realty Board, the State Interstate Realty dealers.

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LATE REPORTS INDICATE BOLSHEVIKI NOT ONLY RESISTING ATTACK ON PETROGRAD BUT ARE WINNING VICTORIES ON OTHER FRONTS

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CLAUS H. ROSENBERG IS CALLED BY DEATH

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Definite funeral arrangements have not been made but will be announced later. Mrs. Zander will arrive from Walla Walla to attend her father's funeral.

Athenians Finish Seedling. Three fourths of the farmers in the Athena-Weston region have finished their wheat seedling, according to Lou Hodgen, of Athena, who is in town on business today. Mr. Hodgen says the farmers are worried as the ground is still very dry. No barley nor spring wheat will be planted in that district, he said today. The acreage planted will be slightly less than for the 1919 crop.

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PREPARATIONS UNDERWAY FOR TRIAL OF WILHELM

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Dona Law today announced in the house of commons that while parliament reconvened all preparations will have been made for trial of the former Kaiser. His extradition will not be demanded, however, until all nations have signed the treaty, Law added.

Is Operated Upon. The daughter of Ralph Thayer was operated upon today at St. Anthony's hospital for adenoids and tonsils.

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STRING OF MACHINES WILL GO TO WESTON

Excellent response to the call for Pendleton representatives at the dedication of Memorial Hall in Weston Thursday is being met by D. Nelson, who has charge of the trip. The program is to open at 7:30 so machines from here will begin leaving at 6 o'clock.

The highway is paved nearly to Athena and has been put in good shape between Athena and Weston by the Warren Construction Co. Several autos are promised for the jaunt and a large representation is looked for.

Speeches by M. L. Watts, president of the Umatilla County Pioneers' Association and Harold J. Warner, president of Pendleton Post of the American Legion, feature the program. There are also musical numbers and a picture show to be given in the new hall.

Names of those already signed for the Weston trip today, as reported by Mr. Nelson, are: J. N. Burgess, R. Alexander, Peoples Warehouse, Carl Conley, Marshall Shell, Fred Lampkin, William Lowell, R. D. Sayres, George C. Baer, W. E. Brock, Oregon Motor Co., N. West, Lyman Rice, J. B. McCook, Harold Warner, Roy W. Ittner, M. L. Thompson, J. K. Thompson, Abe Molstrom, Spence Bentley, J. V. Tallman, Willard Bond, J. H. Cox, Ralph Howard, Ben Burroughs, James Hill, R. E. Chloppel, C. P. A. Lonergan, Charles Bonney, A. H. Cox, E. J. Murphy, W. Schwartzburg, C. K. Cranstun, H. S. Mitchell, David H. Nelson.

Home from Trip to East. Dean Shull, O-W brakeman who makes his home here, returned today from a month's vacation trip spent in visiting the cities of the east. He went as far as New York city.

Hunters Will Seek Deer. Guy B. Wyrick, Jake Welch, Dean Shull and J. L. Vaughan will leave for the Five Mile country tomorrow morning on a deer hunt that will last until Sunday.

Yokum's Parsh Sold. E. T. Wells has sold a quarter section of land comprising the William Goodwin ranch near Yokum to Jack McPhail. The deal includes the machinery and horses on the place. Mr. Goodwin homesteaded the land and lived there continuously for 20 years.

Associated Charities to Meet. The first fall meeting of the Associated Charities will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall. Plans for the work of the organization will be discussed. Judge C. H. Marsh is president.

Berlin Dispatch Tells of Official Word From General Yudenitch Declaring He Has Reached Former Capital.

STREET FIGHTING ALONG OUTSKIRTS IS REPORTED

Red Armies Said to Total 720,000 Men, Munitions Supply Adequate, and Great Gains Claimed by Soviets.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Conflicting reports have been received regarding the progress of anti-bolshevik attacks against Petrograd. A Berlin dispatch reported an official communication from General Yudenitch declaring he had reached Petrograd and that street fighting is progressing on the outskirts. Other dispatches, however, reported that the bolshevik are not only successfully resisting the attack on Petrograd but are winning victories at other fronts.

Allies Get Setbacks. While the Red armies are keeping the anti-bolshevik forces from the city gates by frequent sorties, it is reported that both Kenikene and Kolchak have received setbacks in the south. The bolshevik are reported to have recaptured Crel and driven Denikene back to the outskirts of Kieff. On Kolchak's front the bolshevik are said to have advanced 14 miles in the Kurgan region, taking 1000 prisoners and to have won successes in other sectors.

Have 720,000. The bolshevik, according to reliable estimates, are in no present danger of a military shortage due to large quantities they captured in Kolchak's recent retreat. Their armies are said to total 720,000 men.

New Committee. NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The radical element of the longshoremen today organized a new strike committee which will present demands to Mayor Hylan.

Two Vessels Sunk. LONDON, Oct. 22.—Two Bolsheviki destroyers were sunk by British and Estonian destroyers in Kaporla bay yesterday, the Admiralty today announced.

Advance Said Halted. LONDON, Oct. 22.—Yudenitch has halted his advance toward Petrograd, awaiting reinforcements before attempting to enter the city, according to a Helmsfors dispatch today.

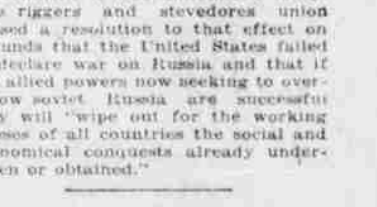
UNION PICKETS CLASH WITH STRIKE BREAKERS

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Oct. 22.—Eight persons were shot or stabbed here early in a clash between alleged negro steel strike breakers and union pickets. Five negroes were arrested and a fifth negro is said to have confessed to the stabbing of Andy Humano, picket, who lay die.

STEVEDORES WILL NOT WORK AGAINST SOVIETS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Union stevedores here will not handle supplies of arms and munitions shipments consigned to the allies in Siberia for the overthrow of the soviet government it was announced today. The riggers and stevedores union passed a resolution to that effect on grounds that the United States failed to declare war on Russia and that if the allied powers now seeking to overthrow soviet Russia are successful they will "wipe out" for the working classes of all countries the social and economical conditions already undertaken or obtained.

Sidewalk Permits Plentiful. As a result of the city's condemning wooden sidewalks within the city limits, applications for permits to build concrete sidewalks have become quite numerous at the city recorder's office in the last week. The step is leading to the considerable activity in the concrete line.



THE WEATHER FORECAST. Tonight and Tuesday probably rainy.

GOMPERS ASKS WITHDRAWAL OF LABOR GROUP; LANE READS APPEAL FROM WILSON FOR ACTION

Labor delegates have decided to remain in the industrial conference if the conference recognizes the right of workers to organize and bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing without coercion from any source, it was learned late this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—President Wilson warned the industrial conference it must find some common ground of agreement in his letter which Chairman Lane read to the conference today. Otherwise, national disaster is invited, he declared. Following reading of the letter, the conference was expecting a move from the labor group indicating whether or not it would withdraw a motion to send the president the conference's assurance it would stay on the job brought an objection from President Gompers. He asked permission for his group to withdraw and adjournment was taken for half an hour.

Asks Development. "It is my understanding that you have divided upon one portion only of a possible large program which has not been fully developed. Before severance is effected, based upon present differences, I believe you should stand together for development of that full program touching many questions within the broad scope of your investigations.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—President Wilson today introduced a new collective bargaining proposal at the opening of the afternoon session of the industrial conference. "I will ask immediate consideration," he said.